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House Adds \$2,012,000 To Army Supply Bill

AFTER restoring \$2,000,000 which the Appropriations committee had lopped off the estimates for the Army housing program, the House of Representatives on Jan. 14 passed the War Department Supply bill.

As passed by the House the bill totals \$457,043,386, of which \$339,058,194 is for military activities. The total represented an increase of \$2,012,000 over the amount recommended by the sub-committee in charge of the bill, and a decrease of \$755,531 under the budget estimates. It is an increase of \$2,954,024 over the appropriations for 1930.

Housing Funds Restored

The principal change made by the House in the bill reported by its committee was in the housing provisions. When the budget was sent to the Congress by President Hoover it included an estimate for \$16,062,860 for construction at military posts, and also contract authorization of \$3,000,000. The Appropriations committee recommended an appropriation of only \$14,062,860 for the housing and eliminated the construction authorization of \$3,000,000.

In justification of this action the committee reported "Whether or not permanent housing to the extent indicated as necessary or will need to be provided is not for this committee to determine. It would seem, however, with an economic survey in progress and with no information at hand as to the directions in which it may suggest that economies may be effected, that it might be well to slacken somewhat the rate of progress on construction authorized, and, also, to take this factor into consideration in connection with any legislation that may have the attention of the House before such survey shall have been concluded. It was this view that actuated the committee in proposing to reduce the estimate by \$2,000,000 and to eliminate the contract authorization."

However, on the floor the \$2,000,000 was restored by motion of Representative Snell, chairman of the Rules committee.

Bill Amended

The following wording was added to the bill:

"Provided further: That in addition to the appropriation herein made, the Secretary of War is authorized to enter into contracts for the construction of all the projects embraced by the Budget for the fiscal year 1931 under this head at the Army Medical School, Washington, District of Columbia, and in Porto Rico, to cost, in the aggregate, not to exceed \$750,000 at each of such places, and, further, to enter into contracts or to incur obligations for the construction at West Point, New York, of the buildings embraced by such Budget and at the maximum costs as follows: Completion of cadet barracks, \$225,000; noncommissioned officers' quarters, \$165,000; officers' quarters, \$507,000."

The following wording of the bill as (Please turn to Page 459)

Commission Pensacola

ON February 8th the USS Pensacola, the second of the 10,000 ton cruisers of the 1924 plan, will be placed in commission at the New York Navy Yard. Rear. Adm. Louis R. de Steiguer, USN, will commission the vessel. After commissioning the Pensacola will remain at the Navy Yard for the completion of dock trials, miscellaneous tests and final items of work.

The Pensacola was built at the New York Navy Yard. Her keel was laid Oct. 27, 1926, and she was launched April 25, 1929. She will be commanded by Capt Alfred G. Howe, USN, and her executive officer will be Comdr. G. M. Courts, USN.

House Rules Committee Votes To Recommend Pay Inquiry; Keeps Promotion Out of Bill

EARLY creation of a joint Congressional committee to study the service pay situation was virtually assured this week when the House Rules committee reported favorably upon the joint resolution.

Hearings were held upon the measure designated as Senate Joint Resolution 7, the one introduced by Senator Reed and passed by the Senate, rather than upon the House resolution introduced by Representative James, chairman of the Military committee. This was Mr. James's suggestion, who said he would rather have the Senate resolution reported so as to save time. The two are identical in text.

Hearings were conducted by the Rules committee, under the chairmanship of Representative Snell of New York, on Jan. 15, when strong endorsement of the measure was made by Representative James, Representative Britten, chairman of the Naval committee, and Representative Parker, chairman of the committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, who represented the Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey and the Public Health Service. The next morning the committee went into executive session and voted to report the measure out favorably.

Pay and Promotion Separate.

Several important questions were discussed at the hearing. Mr. James told the committee in a very forceful manner that he did not want the promotion question linked up with the pay question in the deliberations of the

proposed joint committee. On the other hand, Representative French, chairman of the sub-committee on Naval appropriations, tried to make the point that the Navy and Marine Corps personnel bills conflict with the subject of the joint investigation. Mr. Britten, however, endeavored to make clear the different problems involved in pay and promotion.

A distinct feeling was evident that the members of the Rules committee, as well as those testifying, do not want the joint investigation to be considered as a pay raising proposition. Much was said about holding up special bills affecting individuals and classes until after the general situation is cleared up by the joint committee.

James Gives Background.

Representative James was the first one to testify before the committee when it took up the resolution.

"About two years ago," Mr. James said, "a bill came out of our committee to equalize the retired pay in the Army, and after that bill was passed we had another bill to equalize some other matters that were not taken care of in the first bill. At the last session of Congress we had quite a few bills before our committee dealing with this subject, some of which came out. That was in the closing days of the session. When much pressure was being brought to bear on our committee in the interest of the Sheppard-Wurzbach bill, which passed the Senate unanimously during the last few days (Please turn to Page 469)

Fleet Concentration Schedules Published

THE Navy Department this week announced the schedule of twenty-four ships of the Battle Fleet with the auxiliary ships of Train Squadron Two, Fleet Base Force, during the Fleet concentration.

Seven battleships, eight destroyers, one submarine tender, two fleet submarines, three aircraft carriers, and two aircraft tenders will leave the San Diego-San Pedro Area February 15 for the Canal Zone, engaging in tactical exercises and gunnery training enroute. Another battleship, the Colorado, will join this force later.

March 1 to March 9 the ships will pass through the Panama Canal and with the Scouting Fleet, which is now at Guantanamo, Cuba, will engage in a fleet problem, designated by the Navy as U. S. Fleet Problem Ten, in the Caribbean Sea.

Upon the conclusion of these maneuvers, the fleets will base on Guantanamo and engage in Fleet tactical exercises with periods of overhaul, supply, athletics and critique of the fleet problems.

From April 4 to 13, ships of both the Scouting Fleet and Battle Fleet will make visits to West Indian ports, the names of which will be announced later.

Another problem, designated as U. S. Fleet Problem Eleven will commence with the departure of the ships from the liberty ports and continue the following week. This problem will be completed by April 18. On April 30 the ships which participated in the maneuvers will sail for New York, where they remain from May 8 to 13 while the officers and men will be granted leave and liberty.

The fleets will sail for Hampton Roads on May 19 for Hampton Roads, Virginia, where they will remain until (Please turn to Back Page)

Service Committee Gets 5 New Senators

FIVE new Republican Senators were assigned to the Military and Naval committees this week by the committee on Committees. All of the newly named members hold ad interim appointments to the Upper House.

The new members of the Military Affairs committee are Senators Roscoe McCullough of Ohio, David Baird, jr., of New Jersey, Patrick J. Sullivan of Wyoming and John Marshall Robison of Kentucky. Senator Patrick J. Sullivan was also named to the Naval Affairs committee with Senator Joseph R. Grundy of Pennsylvania. The withdrawal of Senators Robinson and Blaine from the Military committee and Howell and Allen from the Naval Affairs committee leaves one vacancy on each committee.

Senator McCullough, appointed to fill vacancy in the Senate caused by the death of Senator Theodore Burton, and Senator Robison, who succeeds Senator Frederic M. Sackett, both have long service in the House of Representatives. Mr. McCullough was elected to the 64th Congress, and during the 65th Congress served on the committee investigating war expenditures in the Army. While on this committee Senator McCullough visited many Army posts and obtained a great deal of information which will be of value to him on the Military Affairs committee. He has always been considered a liberal on pay for the services and pension legislation. He declares that he believes in giving the soldiers a square deal.

John Marshall Robison was elected to the 66th Congress and has represented the 11th District of Kentucky in the House until his appointment to the Senate recently. He is a lawyer and has been in the banking business. As a youth he was an officer in the Kentucky National Guard. (Please turn to Page 473)

Stage Set For Naval Meeting In London

By M. H. McINTYRE.

ARRIVAL of the American delegation at London, five days ahead of the opening of the conference next Tuesday, finds the stage set for the historic gathering on which the eyes of the whole world are turned.

Complications that have developed in the preliminary negotiations have dimmed the "high hopes" entertained by Premier MacDonald and President Hoover last fall for a reduction in naval armament.

An agreement that will limit new construction of warships and stop competition is the maximum result anticipated from the negotiations about to begin.

Japan is standing pat on her demand for an increased tonnage ratio in large cruisers and submarines.

France is demanding naval strength in keeping with her importance as a world power and a fleet commensurate with her needs at home and abroad.

Italy is standing firm for parity with France and a navy strong enough to safeguard her interests.

England is pressing for the abolition of the submarine and advocates the gradual elimination of the battleship as well.

The United States goes into the conference with no set program and with no trump card to play as did Secretary Hughes at the Washington parley.

Official confirmation that the maximum to be expected is a treaty that will serve to bar to competitive building was given by Premier MacDonald in his statement of January 15. Such an agreement, he declared, even though disappointing in itself, would be a "good" one if it stopped naval rivalry.

The British attitude toward the battleship is a serious problem for the American delegation to handle. MacDonald's frank admission that Great Britain favors the gradual abolishment of the capital ship, coming as it did on the drive in England to scrap the battleship places the United States in a delicate position.

From the standpoint of naval strategists it is a logical position for the British to take. Their overwhelming superiority in merchant ships assumes greater and greater importance as the larger types of warships are eliminated and eventually would leave her again supreme on the seas.

American naval experts do not hold with the British opinion, as voiced by the premier, that these ships are of "doubtful value." To the contrary, they still classify them as the "backbone of the fleet." That our delegation will oppose any move toward abolishing the battleship seems assured, but it will probably agree to an extension of the replacement holiday.

On one condition only does it seem conceivable that this government could agree to even a gradual elimination of battleships. That condition would be that the existing ratio in capital ships (Please turn to Back Page)

Cut Repair Funds

AS AN ECONOMY move to conserve funds available during the rest of the fiscal year, the Navy Department in an ALNAV message on Jan. 15, ordered a reduction of ten percent in the quarterly allotments for emergency repair work in the Fleet. The message follows 0015 Three ALNAV due to limited funds available under appropriation "construction and repair nineteen thirty" imperative that strictest economy be exercised in order to reduce expenditures the regular quarterly allotments under appropriation construction and repair of each vessel operating under General order One Eight Nine are hereby reduced ten per cent for third and fourth quarters nineteen thirty.

Newspapers View Our Extra-Territorial Rights in China

EVER PRESENT agitation in China for the termination of extra-territorial rights which appeared to have reached a climax recently with the announcement by the Nanking government that the special courts must be abolished, aroused quite a bit of editorial comment in this country. The subsequent virtual withdrawal from this position has left the issue quite as alive as before. In the following extracts from various newspaper opinion, different phases of the situation are discussed. Few favor any immediate relinquishment of our rights there, others discuss the future possibilities of such action.

THE New York Times (Independent Democratic) declares that: "Out of deference to the insistent demands of Chinese agitators that extra-territorial rights be abolished the American Government has on numerous occasions made known to the Chinese Government its willingness to discuss a form of adjustment providing for the gradual abolition of extra-territorial rights in proportion to the effectiveness of China's reforms in judicial administration and procedure. The Chinese Government, however, has continued to delay practical consideration of this offer."

COMMENTING on the movement to do away with extraterritoriality, the *Chicago Tribune* (Independent) states: "The immediate abolition of concessions and extraterritorial rights, which have grown from past conditions and are in the most important instances justified by present conditions, would be not only injurious to legitimate foreign interests but to the peace and prosperity of China itself. Chinese laws and legal agencies have not yet reached a stage of modern development which justifies confidence. Chinese governmental conditions are not yet sufficiently stable and responsible to justify the surrender of foreign concessions to their administration and protection. A period of transition should be agreed upon, but it should be limited not by time but by actual accomplishment."

THE Washington Post (Independent) states: "The treaty rights of Americans are still in effect and must remain in effect until China establishes a code of laws and courts capable of administering justice. * * * The United States Court in China must remain there."

SPEAKING of China's jurisdiction over foreigners, the *Elgin Courier-News* (Republican) declares: "This, surely, is China's right. The United States, for decades, has stood for fair and honest treatment in its dealings with China. To use force to prevent China from taking the first step toward national independence and integrity would be utterly inconsistent with our traditional policy."

THE Rochester Times-Union (Independent) states that: "Until China can guarantee their safety and the safety of American-owned property from bandits and the medieval, corrupt and unjust courts, the United States has every right to retain some direct supervision of their welfare."

"COMPELLED to recognize force," states the *San Diego Union* (Republican) commenting on the position of the United States in the problem, it declares: "This country's right to demand extra-territorial rights in China—the right of American nationals to be judged by their own courts, not those of the Chinese—is a legal or artificial right, depending upon the terms of treaties exacted from China under duress. Of its kind, however, it is a right. * * * But if this country has such a right—if England, Germany, Russia or any other great power may exercise such a right—the theory of our relations with China demands that China also shall have that privilege. It demands that any modification of the privilege should be arranged by agreement, to the full satisfaction of the Chinese government."

"But in this matter of extra-territoriality the theory vanishes before a mass of ancient, stubborn and unpleasant facts. The facts indicate that the United States cannot surrender this 'right' under any conditions—except as and when China shall become able to guarantee foreigners the degree of security they enjoy in what we call 'civilized' nations. China is not able to do that yet. The theory breaks down. And the United States, apostle of world peace, is compelled to recognize force as the ultimate arbiter of a necessary dispute."

"NOT yet ready," says the *Washington Star* (Independent). "The simple truth of the matter is that China is not ready to assume responsibility for the rights and security of foreigners. A code of law and a judicial system may be set up—already beginnings in those directions have been made—but they will not function to the point of guaranteeing safety and equity. It will take some years, perhaps a good many years, to bring about a condition in which these guarantees can be given and accepted."

"ABOLITION of extraterritoriality by the Chinese Government," states the *Philadelphia Inquirer* (Republican), "was so obviously an impotent gesture in the face of the determination of the Powers to continue the protection of their nationals so long as Chinese court procedure is unreformed that Dr. Wang's virtual postponement of the execution of the decree is not surprising. The Government is in too precarious a position to ride rough-shod over the rights of foreigners."

1st Div. Notes

IF the request of three different motion picture companies are granted, Madison Barracks will be the scene of much activity within a few weeks. They contemplate taking pictures of the 1st Battalion, 28th Inf., attacking an assumed enemy and the 2nd Battalion, 7th FA, going into action with the 75s. It is proposed by them to use the latest developments of the movie-tone for this purpose. Pictures will be taken of both day and night scenes.

In the past similar pictures were taken by the Pathe News and shown throughout the country, but with new instruments to record the sound of the 75s and the guns of lesser caliber, this will perhaps be more realistic.

Since maneuver space is not sufficient for the proposed plan, it is hoped that the Black River Bay, adjacent to the post will be of sufficient thickness to withstand the maneuvering and guns.

Col. Albert S. Williams, commanding the 16th Infantry, visited Ft. Wadsworth on a training inspection of the 3rd Battalion, 16th Inf. The regimental commander was particularly interested in the results of instruction as revealed by the soldier's knowledge of the Training Regulations. Short quizzes including every soldier present were held in each company of the battalion. Col. Williams devoted no little time to investigating the company messes. All companies turned out on the battalion parade for a period of close order drill which was observed by the colonel and his staff.

A barn dance was held for enlisted men and their guests at the Post Service Club, Ft. DuPont, Del., on Jan. 8. The hut was decorated to represent a stable, and old-fashioned as well as modern dancing was enjoyed. At intervals during the dance, fifteen minute acts were put on, on the stage. Three such acts were staged during the entertainment, which included some excellent singing and dancing.

The 16th Infantry is out to repeat last season's triumphs on the indoor gallery rifle range at Ft. Jay, this year. Capt. Robert Hoffman, Company B, team coach, is selecting his team from the 22 best shots in the regiment. Matches have been arranged with the 7th Infantry, Vancouver Barracks; the 34th Infantry, Ft. Eustis; the 29th Infantry, Ft. Benning; 4th Infantry, Ft. Missoula; the 3rd Infantry, Ft. Benning, and the 18th Infantry, Ft. Hamilton. This team, when selected, will also participate in the National Rifle Association match and in the division small-bore competition.

Col. Williams, has noted with deep pride the fact that the desertion record of the 16th is improving each month. During the month of December, not a single desertion occurred in the regiment. Such a splendid record prompted the regimental staff to publish a General Order congratulating the regiment on its accomplishment.

Annual Navy Mutual Aid Meeting Held

THE Fifty-first Annual Meeting of the Navy Mutual Aid Association was held at the Navy Department, Jan. 14, and the following officers and Resident Directors were elected for the year 1930, together with a list of non-resident Directors at all stations and on board all flagships:

Officers

Adm. C. F. Hughes, USN., President.
Rear Adm. C. W. Dyson, USN., Vice-President.

Rear Adm. W. A. Moffett, USN., Second Vice-President.

Resident Directors

Comdr. F. C. Bowerford, SC, USN.
Rear Adm. B. C. Bryan, USN.
Rear Adm. G. R. Clark, USN.
Rear Adm. T. J. Cowie, SC, USN.
Lt. Comdr. R. E. Davison, USN.
Rear Adm. R. H. Leigh, USN.
Maj. Gen. W. C. Neville, USMC.
Capt. C. M. Oman, MC, USN.
Capt. F. G. Pyne, SC, USN.
Lt. R. A. Shotwell, SC, USN.
Rear Adm. W. H. Standley, USN.
Rear Adm. D. W. Taylor, CC, USN.
Capt. E. R. Wilson, SC, USN.
Rear Adm. H. E. Yarnell, USN.

The annual report of the Secretary and Treasurer, Rear Adm. T. J. Cowie, USN., was read and approved.

The year 1929, the fiftieth anniversary of the association has proven to be the banner year. The dependents of 1,049 deceased members have been paid the benefits, and received prompt assistance.

Nine years ago the membership was 1,318, and the total of one assessment from each member amounted to \$4,116.37. Dec. 31, 1929, the membership was 6,162, and one assessment from each member amounted to \$14,646.41. This represents a net gain in membership in nine years of 4,844, an average of 538 each year.

The following statement is inserted for the purpose of showing the growth of the association.

	Members	Total of One Assmt.	Amt. of Benefit Pd.	Assets
In 1899 (after 20 yrs.)	815	\$ 3,587.60	\$3,546.90	\$52,110.00
In 1919 (after 40 yrs.)	1,318	4,142.88	4,076.88	65,757.22
In 1929 (in 9½ yrs.)	6,162	14,646.41	7,500.00	1,071,852.05

This statement shows a net gain in membership in 9½ years of 4,844, an average of 538 each year, while the total sum of one assessment from all members has been increased from \$4,142.88 to \$14,646.41, an increase of \$10,503.53.

The annual report for the year 1929 is the most interesting and important report ever published. Adm. Cowie urges all members and officers who are eligible for membership to read this report carefully, as it gives in detail all information regarding "Pensions," and also shows by actual figures the remarkable decrease in the actual cost per \$1,000 of Navy Mutual Aid during the past 6 years.

Due to the stabilization of assessments at 45 per cent, the increased

Adm. Cowie "Gratified"

THE Navy Mutual Aid Association has just passed its fiftieth anniversary with the most phenomenal year of its existence. "Over six thousand members and over a million dollar assets safely invested in gilt edge bonds," is a brief summary of its condition today. Nine years ago there were only thirteen hundred members, and assets of but sixty-five thousand dollars.

Members of the Association, as well as the entire Naval service, attribute this growth to the brilliant and unceasing efforts of their Secretary and Treasurer, Rear Adm. T. J. Cowie, (SC), USN.

In commenting upon the condition of the Association, Adm. Cowie stated, "I am, indeed, gratified at the remarkable increased membership in our today Million Dollar Association, and the great reduction in the cost of protection, but am not and will not be satisfied until every eligible officer in the Navy, Marine Corps and Coast Guard become members. Every officer owes it, as a duty, to brother officers to explain the advantages and benefits the Association renders, and assist in making our Association 100 per cent."

membership, and the extra flat rate charged aviators, the association is in a finer financial condition than ever before, the assets having increased during 1929 from \$767,203.44 to \$1,071,852.05. This amount is divided as follows: Benefit Fund, \$486,159.92; Reserve Fund, \$582,612.39; Expense Fund, \$3,079.74. All funds of the association

as they become available are invested in bonds, which at their Face Value amount to \$1,003,000.00, there being in the Benefit Fund \$447,000.00 and in the Reserve Fund \$556,000.00. Since January 1st, \$25,000.00 worth of bonds have been purchased for the Reserve Fund, which will bring the bonds in that account up to \$581,000.00.

The Reserve Fund has been increased in the past year from \$367,511.90 to \$582,612.39.

Although 45 assessments were called for in the year 1929, but 22 were actually used to pay for the 49 deaths that occurred during the year. Eight assessments remain to the members' credit in the Benefit Fund, and an amount equal to fifteen assessments (Please turn to Page 479)

AA Normal CAC Mission

IT MUST be a normal mission for all Coast Artillery to serve antiaircraft guns, commanding generals of all corps areas and departments and chiefs of branches are informed in a recent War Department communication. The antiaircraft armament must be recognized and taught to constitute the first line of ground defense against enemy aircraft at sensitive points and vital areas, even as the fixed CA defenses constitute the first line of defense for the harbors on the coast against enemy naval guns. Accordingly, all Coast Artillery will be trained to serve skillfully and effectively antiaircraft armament, instruments, equipment, listening devices, searchlights, fire control, etc., in addition to the permanent assignment that units may have to fixed defenses, railway, or tractor-drawn artillery.

The communication calls attention to the fact that Long Island Sound, Chesapeake Bay, Pensacola, San Francisco, and Puget Sound are to be retained on an active status under the recent reorganization, while the 55nd Coast Artillery (Ry.), less two battalions, will be stationed at Ft. Hancock and maintain the defenses of that locality. Harbor defenses at Boston, Portland, Portsmouth, New Bedford, Narragansett Bay, Eastern and Southern New York, Sandy Hook, the Delaware, the Potomac, Charleston, Savannah, Key West, Tampa, Mobile Bay, Galveston, San Diego, Los Angeles and the Columbia will be maintained on a caretaking status.

In order to distinguish between the two general types of artillery training that will be held, Coast Artillery units are classified as follows:

The following Coast Artillery organizations assigned to harbor defense; railway and tractor drawn artillery will be designated as Seacoast Artillery Units:

1st (HD); 2d (HD); 4th (HD); 6th (HD); 11th (HD); 13th (HD); 14th (HD); 15th (HD); 16th (HD); 41st (RY); 51st (TD); 52d (RY); 55th (TD); 59th (TD); 91st (HD) (PS); 92d (HD) (PS).

The following organizations, assigned to antiaircraft artillery, will be designated as Antiaircraft Artillery Units:

60th (AA); 61st (AA); 62d (AA); 63d (AA); 64th (AA); 65th (AA); 69th (AA).

Each battery of Seacoast Artillery (except headquarters and service batteries) will, in addition to its present assignment, be assigned to an antiaircraft searchlight battery, or an antiaircraft machine gun battery of four guns, or an antiaircraft gun battery of two or three guns. This assignment will be so arranged that as far as practicable an equal number of each type of antiaircraft battery will be manned by seacoast units in each Department or Corps Area and in each harbor defense. The Seacoast Artillery units assigned to receive training in antiaircraft artillery will devote sufficient time to this training (Please turn to Page 470)

Army Supply Bill

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reported by the committee was eliminated by the House before reporting it to the Senate:

"Provided further, That the Quartermaster General is hereby exempted from all laws and regulations relative to employment and to granting leaves of absence to employees with pay while employed on construction work at the Military Academy: Provided further, That the funds appropriated herein for construction at the United States Military Academy may be expended without advertising when in the opinion of the Quartermaster General it is more economical and advantageous to the Government to dispense with advertising."

An item of \$12,000 also was added to the bill for erection of a lodge and rest room in the Chicamauga and Chattanooga national military parks.

Ross A. Collins, of Mississippi, a Democratic member of the War Department sub-committee of the House committee on appropriations, consumed most of the time during the discussions deploring military expenditures, especially those for the non-combatant services of the Reserve Corps. Immediately when the bill was taken up on Jan. 10 for further consideration by the committee of the whole House on the state of the Union, Mr. Collins and, as a member of the Appropriations committee, yielded to himself "as much time as I may need."

Mr. Collins prefaced his remarks by recalling the Kellogg Peace Pact, the President statement urging economy in national defense expenditures and the President's "vest pocket budget" which arranged the figures to show that 72 per cent of our expenditures go for "wars, past, present and future."

With this introduction he attempted to show that the Army is being gradually increased by what he termed the "nudging-up process." He deplored the provisions of the bill which provide for an average of 118,750 enlisted men instead of a maximum of that number, and the exclusion from this number of enlisted men sick or not in the line of duty and absent without leave.

His dissent went even so far as to direct itself against the Housing program, saying, "The houses that have been and are being built are better than those of us in civilian life, whose positions are comparable to Army officers, are accustomed to provide for ourselves, but this is in line with our policy of extravagance on all matters affecting national defense; and the new program will be O. K'd without a murmur."

The next object of the Mississippian's attack was the Cavalry. He opened his fire in that direction by declaring that the House should not be shocked to learn that the bill provides for the maintenance of "an ancient and famous, not to say beautiful arm of the service called the Cavalry." He said he loves horses and hates to think of them being dragged into modern warfare where "the pastures will not be so green for him when airplanes soar overhead, tanks rush past, and gas covers all."

After referring to an article by Maj. C. C. Benson, USA, Cav., describing the merits of the Christie tank and armored car, he quoted Maj. Gen. C. C. Williams, chief of ordnance, as saying that this tank could go anywhere a wheeled vehicle could go. From this he inferred that it could go any place an animal could go and many places they could not. He urged that Congress stop appropriating money for Cavalry and horses.

The next object of his attack was the Air Corps expenditures. "In view of the rapid expansion of civil aviation and the tremendous technical progress being made there, I feel that there is much necessary expenses connected with the Air Corps in the purchase of corps planes and in many other ways," he asserted. "Because of the rapid changes going on in aviation these purchases seem to me to be very questionable."

After a few shots at the "federalized" National Guard, Mr. Collins turned to the expenditures for the Organized Reserves. He called this great component of national defense the "most powerful political unit of the whole Army." He asserted that the Reserve Officers Association is a "very powerful political influence" and in spite of the efforts of Representative Robert G. Simmons, of Nebraska, to correct him he declared that he asserted that the association has always obtained from Congress everything it asked for. Next came the ROTC, which he berated because girls have appeared in drills in connection with the ROTC

WILL HE MAKE THE HILL?



World's Fair Meeting

Great Lakes, Ill. (Special)—At a luncheon given by Rufus C. Dawes, President of the World's Fair Centennial Celebration at the Burnham Studio in Chicago on Friday, January 10, at which Rear Adm. Walter S. Crosley, USN, Commandant of the Ninth Naval District and of the Great Lakes Naval Training Station, and Maj. Gen. Frank Parker, USA, Commanding General of the Sixth Corps Area, were the guests of honor, these two officers gave assurances of the cooperation of the Army and Navy forces in the Chicago area in promoting the success of the Century of Progress exposition.

During the course of the luncheon it was announced that an invitation would be extended to both the War and Navy Departments to have exhibits at the fair.

In addition to the guests of honor, those attending the luncheon were: Lt. Francis H. Gilmer, USN, personal Aide to Adm. Crosley; Lt. G. S. Smith, USA, personal Aide to Gen. Parker; Daniel H. Burnham, Secretary of the World's Fair Centennial Celebration; Maj. L. R. Lohr, Manager of the Exposition; Dr. F. R. Moulton, chairman of the Exposition Committee on Astronomy, and Col. F. C. Boggs, of the World's Fair Staff.

activities. He belittled the education value of the units and their value as teaching citizenship.

Mr. Collins also ridiculed the procurement and industrial activities of the War Department calling it procurement "playing" instead of planning.

Later, after Mr. Collins had finished his long tirade, Representative John Taber, of New York, also a member of the sub-committee on War Department appropriations, arose and without referring directly to Mr. Collins refuted some of his statements.

"I think," he said, "it might almost be said that the entire appropriation for both Army and Navy planes should be fairly considered in the nature of experimental work because of the fact that these planes are improved upon so rapidly. However, there is an absolute necessity that this country keep pace to the fullest possible extent with the world in this art. The Army maintains an experimental aircraft outfit at Dayton and the Navy at Philadelphia. Those institutions have separate appropriations. I believe that no money we spend upon the air force is better spent than that which calls for intensive development and a large amount of competitive Government work in developing this art."

"I wish to call the committee's attention to one other thing. I am not the least bit disturbed at the danger to our form of Government from our components of the Army. I admire and I honor those men whose spirit of patriotism inspires them to serve in our National Guard and our Officers' Reserve Corps. I think it is a fine thing that we are able to train our young men in the citizens' military training camps. As a result of an investigation, which I believe was started by our committee, the Reserve Officers' Corps is at the present time developing real efficiency. The cream of its membership are the young men who are going into it from the Reserve Officers' Training Corps in the colleges at the rate of from 5,000 to 7,000 a year."

"These men are equipped for real service and are performing real service in laying out a moderate equipment for this country in case of an emergency. We are not going further than we should with it; at the same time we are probably spending at this

To Launch Augusta

LIGHT Cruiser No. 31, the USS Augusta, will be launched on Feb. 1, 1930, at the plant of the Newport News Shipbuilding Company, Newport News, Va.

Upon recommendation of the Hon. W. B. Bell, mayor of the City of Augusta, Ga., the Secretary of the Navy has designated Miss Evelyn McDaniel, 252 Walton Way, Augusta, Ga., as sponsor.

The Augusta is the sixth cruiser to be launched in a program of eight light cruisers which were authorized in 1924. On December 31, 1929, she was 67.5 per cent completed.

The United States Navy has assigned the name Augusta to two other vessels. The first Augusta was a sailing vessel, (brig), with 14 guns and a crew of 80 men. She was built or purchased in Baltimore, Md., at a cost of \$16,294 in 1799. Commanded by Lt. Archibald McElroy, she was part of Commodore Silas Talbot's squadron in the West Indies in the quasi-war with France. In 1800, she captured the vessels L'Esper, La Victoire, La Jeanne, Le Republicain and with the USS Herald, the Le Mutine. In 1801, she was sold at Norfolk, Va., for \$13,889.

The second Augusta was a paddle steamer of 1310 tons used during the Civil War.

time just about what we ought to spend.

"We do not allow them to dictate our appropriations nor are we in any way prejudiced against them. We just treat them fairly."

"I want to call the attention of the House to one other thing and that is the procurement planning proposition."

"This is being carried on in a moderate way under the Assistant Secretary of War. It is not a scheme to place Army officers at the head of factories. Nobody ever thought of such a thing. Congress never thought of such a thing, and it is not provided in the national defense act. It is simply a program by means of which executive officers in the War Department with business training can find out and know in what factories they could place orders, either for munitions of war or for other war supplies in case of an emergency. It is not a scheme by which the Government would take over the management of the factories over the heads of trained factory managers, but simply that they might know where they can promptly and efficiently place orders and procure prompt execution of these orders and thus avoid the tremendous delay which took place at the time this country went into the Great War in 1917."

"It is a constructive measure and not a foolish one. It is true that it must be held down. It is true that it must not be allowed to run wild and result in foolish expenditure of money, but within reason and within common sense it is an activity which in case of emergency would be found of real value to the Government."

A \$2,000,000 increase in the Housing program, and elimination of a clause that would have excluded procurement of helium from a \$35,823,473 item for the Army Air Corps were made in the bill during its consideration, Jan. 11.

One of the provisions of the bill that was agreed to as the reading continued, without any discussion or change, was that paragraph regarding the Administration's Army economy inquiry, being made by the General Staff.

Representative LaGuardia, of New York, made a point of order against the provision that would have exempted the Quartermaster General from restrictions relative to employment of labor on West Point construction work.

The Journal Salutes

THIS week the Army and Navy Journal salutes:

Maj. George C. Beach, Jr., MC, USA, who was this week awarded the Distinguished Service Medal for exceptional meritorious and distinguished services during the influenza epidemic in 1918.

Capt. Frank G. Geottge, USMC, who has reported for duty as White House aide and aide-de-camp to Maj. Gen. Commandant Wendell C. Neville.

Capt. Orin G. Murfin, USN, upon his promotion to be a rear admiral.

Supports Pay Move

Los Angeles (Special)—The following resolution has been adopted by Los Angeles Post No. 8, American Legion, Dept. of Calif.

Whereas, An interdepartmental board, duly appointed to consider a proposed joint service pay bill for the entire personnel of the Military and Naval forces of the United States, has reported the personnel, commissioned and enlisted, of these services very much underpaid as compared with other Governmental Departments and like employment elsewhere in civil life; and

Whereas, Officers and men are leaving these services to accept positions of greater remuneration elsewhere, a condition detrimental to the efficiency and morale of these services; and

Whereas, A new pay schedule covering the above named services has been recommended as a remedial measure for consideration of the Congress and the executive departments concerned; and

Whereas, We believe that the principals of the recommendations are meritorious, equitable and just, and that the enactment of such a measure by Congress will be recognition of the faithful service performed by those already in its personnel, an add a stimulus to the men who have suffered during the World's War to seek appointments and enlistments in the Reserve forces of the military arm of our Government, all of which will add materially to the furtherance and the proper carrying out of the fulfillment of the National Defense Act;

NOW; Therefore, be it resolved that Los Angeles Post No. 8, American Legion, Department of California, endorse the principal of the proposed increase in pay for these several services as recommended by this interdepartmental board and that we recommend that any increase in compensation granted applicable to retired officers, warrant officers, nurses and enlisted men, based upon the same schedule as applied to those on the active list, of like grades.

BE it further resolved we recommend that the American Legion, legislative committee in Washington, D. C., be instructed to do all within its power for the prompt passage by Congress of the revised pay schedule for the above named services, as recommended by the Interdepartmental Pay Board.

He said that the provision was legislation and so could not be included in an appropriation act. He protested against the use of "open shop" labor at West Point. The Chair sustained the point of order.

Representative Snell, offered an amendment providing the \$2,000,000 increase for the Army construction program, to bring the amount up to the budget estimate for that purpose for the fiscal year 1931. The amendment also provided for West Point construction by contracts of the Quartermaster General and limited to \$750,000 each contract for the Army medical school construction at Washington, D. C., and in Porto Rico.

The amendment further listed maximum costs of West Point construction as follows:

Completion of cadet barracks, \$225,000; noncommissioned officers quarters, \$165,000, and officers' quarters, \$507,000.

An amendment also was adopted, on the motion of Representative Barbour, of California, in charge of the bill, to provide that no funds appropriated for construction shall be used for permanent additions or extensions to existing buildings or hospitals.

Representative Stafford, challenged some items in the bill. Appropriations for the military intelligence, he said, were too large. He saw no necessity for large funds for military intelligence, he said, when the United States is at peace with all the world and has (Please turn to Page 469)

THE UNITED STATES ARMY

Branches To AC School

TWO officers each of the Infantry, Field Artillery, Cavalry and Coast Artillery, and one of the Signal Corps and Engineers, have been directed by the Secretary of War to be detailed to the Air Corps Tactical School, Langley Field, as students for the 1930-31 school year.

The officers to be detailed must be of the grade of senior captain or above, graduates of the advanced courses in their respective service schools or the Command and General Staff School and must have signified their willingness to be placed on duty involving flying. They will not be required to pass the special examination for flying, but only officers who are in good physical condition will be detailed, in view of the fact that they are required to participate as observers in flying missions.

While the number of officers detailed for the 1930-31 course is the same as for the 1929-30 course, the allotment to the various arms is different. In 1929 only the Infantry, Field Artillery and Cavalry field officers were detailed to the Air Corps Technical School. This year the Coast Artillery, Signal Corps and Corps of Engineers have been added.

Experiments At Inf. Sch.

Ft. Benning (Special)—A compact, illuminable map apparently suitable for road marches is now under test by the department of experiment at the Infantry School, Lt. B. M. McFayden being in charge. This map, contained in a case, size and shape of a pocket kodak, is wound up on spools and viewed through a window on the side. It contains a small electric light bulb and battery for night use.

An improved type of the Hyde gallery target will soon be received for test.

Twenty-four tests of various weapons and articles were made during the last half of 1929, under supervision of Lt. Col. H. A. Wells.

Offer USMA Grounds Bill

REPRESENTATIVE FISH this week introduced a bill authorizing the acquisition of acreage to extend the West Point Military Reservation grounds, and an appropriation of \$1,500,000 for the purpose.

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Army Confirmations

THE following Army nominations have been confirmed by the Senate: On January 11:

APPOINTMENTS.

E. E. Booth to be major general, GSC.

R. McCleave to be brigadier general, GSC, (Inf.).

William E. Cole to be brigadier general.

PROMOTIONS.

A. R. Chaffee to be lieutenant colonel, Cav.

E. W. Wildrick to be lieutenant colonel, FA.

H. F. Kramer to be major, Inf.

C. P. Evers to be major, Inf.

T. B. Collins to be major, MC.

W. C. Cox to be major, MC.

F. V. Kilgore to be major, MC.

J. F. Lieberman to be major, MC.

C. M. Reddig to be major, MC.

D. S. Lockwood to be major, DC.

T. J. Koenig to be captain, AC.

L. M. Hester to be captain, Inf.

C. W. Hoadley to be captain, CWS.

H. McP. Woodward, jr., to be captain, CWS.

F. E. Kauffman to be captain, FA.

W. L. Claxton to be captain, CAC.

C. P. Chapman to be captain, Inf.

D. C. Burnett to be captain, Inf.

G. Gardner to be captain, AC.

A. C. Kincaid to be captain, AC.

E. P. Earle to be captain, Inf.

R. W. Bryant to be captain, Inf.

W. B. Smith to be captain, Inf.

O. H. Prizer to be captain, Inf.

B. B. Vail to be captain, Cav.

W. L. Sherfey to be captain, Inf.

T. F. Joyce to be captain, Inf.

W. B. Cochran to be captain, Inf.

B. M. James to be captain, FA.

O. O. Niergarth to be captain, AC.

P. H. Camp to be captain, Inf.

R. A. Carter to be captain, FA.

T. E. Mahoney to be captain, Inf.

J. Hunt to be captain, FA.

F. S. Ross to be captain, Inf.

F. A. Hollingshead to be captain, CA.

P. C. Wilders to be captain, Inf.

S. M. Brabson to be captain, Inf.

E. H. deSaussure to be captain, Cav.

V. W. Wortman to be captain, CAC.

J. F. Brinson to be captain, Inf.

E. P. Lukert to be captain, Inf.

E. T. Hayes to be captain, FA.

A. B. Hicklin to be captain, FA.

C. K. Krams to be captain, Inf.

C. W. Fake to be captain, Cav.

C. H. Farish to be captain, Inf.

C. D. Overfelt to be captain, Inf.

J. A. Smith, jr., to be captain, FA.

R. N. Ott to be captain, AC.

G. V. Studdiford to be captain, Inf.

W. B. Walters to be captain, FA.

J. Nostein to be captain, Inf.

R. H. Knapp to be captain, FA.

H. J. Guernsey to be captain, FA.

M. B. Durette to be captain, FA.

J. G. Brackinridge to be captain, FA.

F. G. Brink to be captain, Inf.

E. J. Bond to be captain, Inf.

G. Procter to be captain, Inf.

F. H. Kohloss to be captain, CE.

G. T. Rowland to be captain, OD.

A. F. White to be captain, Inf.

R. H. Larkins to be captain, Inf.

H. L. Vitzthum to be captain, SC.

L. C. Bizzell to be captain, Inf.

M. M. Pharr to be captain, FA.

G. F. Herbert to be captain, Inf.

J. V. Gange to be captain, Cav.

C. B. Lee to be captain, Inf.

J. C. Browne to be captain, QC.

J. C. Lord to be captain, FA.

P. McD. Robinett to be captain, Cav.

P. J. Atkinson to be captain, FA.

F. N. Mallory to be captain, Inf.

E. R. Shugart to be captain, Inf.

U. W. Holly to be captain, Inf.

E. H. White to be first lieutenant, AC.

J. W. Clyburn to be first lieutenant, FA.

D. G. Erskine to be first lieutenant, FA.

A. D. Mead, jr., to be first lieutenant, Inf.

A. N. Stubblebine, jr., to be first lieutenant, FA.

C. H. Royce to be first lieutenant, Inf.

R. C. Cameron to be first lieutenant, FA.

P. A. Pickhardt to be first lieutenant, Inf.

G. P. O'Neill to be first lieutenant, Inf.

O. de la Rosa to be first lieutenant, Inf.

W. O. Eareckson to be first lieutenant, AC.

W. L. Coughlin to be first lieutenant, FA.

W. T. Sexton to be first lieutenant, FA.

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Name Ft. Warren Staff

Ft. Francis E. Warren (Special)—The following headquarters staff is announced here:

Personal Staff—1st Lt. G. W. Read, Jr., Cav. (DOL), and 2nd Lts. W. C. Stanton, FA (DOL), aides de camp.

Post Staff—Adjutant, Maj. W. T. Pigott, 1st Inf.; assistant adjutant for personnel, 1st Lt. D. S. McLean, 20th Inf.; assistant adjutant for civilian components, 1st Lt. C. E. Farmer, 20th Inf.; Acting inspector and investigating officer, Capt. H. H. Galliett, 1st Inf.; Quartermaster, Capt. J. L. Pierce (Inf.) QMC; Surgeon, Col. Jacob M. Coffin, MC; Finance officer, 1st Lt. E. E. Cox, FD; Signal officer, 2nd Lt. W. P. Corderman, SC; Ordnance officer, Chemical warfare officer, and Engineer officer, 1st Lt. J. F. Greene, 20th Inf.; Recruiting officer 1st Lt. W. C. Jones, 20th Inf.; Provost marshal, 1st Lt. J. B. Willis, 1st Inf.; Prison officer, 1st Lt. Jean Edens, 1st Inf.; Parole officer, Capt. H. H. Galliett, 1st Inf.; Athletic and recreation officer, 1st Lt. W. C. Jones, 20th Inf.; School officer, 1st Lt. W. C. Jones, 20th Inf.; Post exchange officer, 1st Lt. J. F. Greene, 20th Inf.; Post chaplains, Protestant—Capt. C. O. Purdy, Chaplain, USA; Roman Catholic—1st Lt. A. T. F. Nowak, Chaplain, USA.

Army Transport Sailings

ST. MIHIEL, scheduled to arrive Panama January 23; leave January 24, arrive Corinto, January 26; leave January 26, arrive San Francisco February 3; leave February 7, arrive Honolulu February 13; leave February 18, arrive San Francisco February 24; leave March 1, arrive Corinto March 9; leave March 9, arrive Panama March 11; leave March 12, arrive New York March 18.

Cambrai, scheduled to arrive San Francisco January 25; leave January 29, arrive Corinto February 6; leave February 6, arrive Panama February 8; leave February 9, arrive New York February 15.

Somme, scheduled to arrive San Francisco January 23.

Ch. Thierry, scheduled to arrive Honolulu January 17; leave January 22, arrive San Francisco January 28; leave February 1, arrive Corinto February 9; leave February 9, arrive Panama February 11; leave February 12, arrive in New York February 18.

Grant, scheduled to leave San Francisco February 8, arrive Honolulu February 14; leave February 15; arrive Guam February 25; leave February 25, arrive Manila March 3; leave March 11, arrive Chinwangtao March 16; leave March 17, arrive Nagasaki March 16; leave March 17, arrive Nagasaki March 20; leave March 20, arrive Honolulu March 31; leave April 2, arrive San Francisco April 8; leave April 12, arrive Corinto April 20; leave April 20, arrive Panama April 22; leave April 23, arrive New York April 27.

(Anyone desiring further information concerning sailing dates of Army transports should address the query to the Transport Editor.)

Army Notes

Chicago (Special)—Lt. Col. W. H. Burt, IGD, is announced as 6th Corps Area inspector, vice Maj. E. J. Carr, IGD, acting.

Ft. Sam Houston (Special)—The regular target practice season for Small Arms and Infantry Weapons in the 8th Corps Area is announced as follows:

Ft. Sam Houston, June 1-Dec. 15; **Ft. Francis E. Warren**, Wyo., Aug. 15-Dec. 24; **Ft. Logan**, Aug. 1-Sept. 30; **Ft. Bliss**, July 1-Oct. 31; **Ft. Clark**, April 1-Oct. 31; **Ft. D. A. Russell**, Tex., June 1-Aug. 15; **Ft. McIntosh**, Sept. 15-Dec. 15; **Ft. Brown**, March 1-June 30; **Ft. Ringgold**, Jan. 10-July 31; **Ft. Huachuca**, May 12-Sept. 27; **Camp Stephen D. Little**, Ariz., Aug. 23-Dec. 31; **Camp Harry J. Jones**, Ariz., Aug. 1-Nov. 1; **Ft. Sill**, Okla. (1st Bn. 38th Inf.), Sept. 1-Oct. 15, and **Ft. Crockett**, Feb. 1-March 31.

Manila (Special)—J. P. Tracy, GSC, is announced as chief of staff, Philippine Department, and Maj. J. S. Bragdon, GSC, as assistant chief of staff, G-1, with station in Manila.

Col. William Taylor, JAGD, is announced as department judge advocate.

Lt. Col. F. W. Boschen, FD, is announced as finance officer, Philippine Department.

Col. W. H. Tschappat, OD, is announced as department ordnance officer and as commanding officer, Philippine Ordnance Depot, relieving Col. O. C. Horney, OD.

Lt. Col. S. C. McGill, SC, is announced as department signal officer, relieving Maj. C. V. Simpson, SC, who is transferred to the Philippine Division, with station at Ft. Wm. McKinley.

Ft. Benjamin Harrison (Special)—Indoor rifle practice has commenced in the 11th Infantry, in preparation for the National Rifle Association gallery matches and tryouts for the Infantry team.

Lt. Col. Thomas J. Dickson, CC, USA, Ret., will be the principal speaker at a service of appreciation to commemorate the twelfth anniversary of the display of the Christian flag and the national Standard and colors of the first American Combat regiment to go on the battle line at Sanzey, France, January 21, 1918. The service will be held in the Church of St. Stephen and the Incarnation in Washington, D. C., January 26.

Lt. Col. Girard L. McEntee, Inf., will give an illustrated account of the Gallipoli (Dardanelles campaign) Jan. 23, at 8 P. M., in the Interior Building, Washington, D. C., under the combined auspices of the Washington Chapter, Quartermaster Association and the (Please turn to Page 478)

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SERVICE NEWS AND GOSSIP

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SERVICE SCHOOL GRADUATIONS TO BE FORMAL, RULE.

DIGNITY and formality are prescribed for the graduating exercises at service schools in a communication addressed, at the order of the Secretary of War, to the chiefs of war department arms and services having service schools under their jurisdiction.

The communication reads:

"The faculty and students of the service schools are entitled to formal recognition of the efforts that they have put forth. It is desired that the significance of the graduation exercises of all service schools be emphasized by making the occasion formal and dignified. The ceremonies should be attended by the chief of Branch or the corresponding superior in the War Department, unless there is some mandatory reason to the contrary.

"The occasion of graduation exercises at a service school affords an excellent opportunity for the chief of branch to exercise his personal influence over the representative members of his branch.

"While it may be impracticable for chiefs of branches or other War Department officials to be present at the graduation exercises of short or special courses, appropriate ceremonies should be arranged by the school commandants for the awarding of certificates or diplomas upon the completion of such courses."

LECTURE COURSE FOR FIRST DIVISION STAFF

TWELVE lectures, by as many Army officers, which will comprise the new lyceum course for officers of the 1st Division staff at Ft. Hamilton, were announced this week by Brig. Gen. Hugh A. Drum, commanding.

Beginning Jan. 20 the talks, covering subjects as varied as Allenby's Campaign, Business Methods in the Army, Chinese Warfare, and Cuban-American Relations, will continue until March 17. The speakers include Gen. Drum, Col. F. J. Morrow, divisional chief of staff; Lt. Col. F. W. Brabson and other leading staff officers of the division and of the 2nd Corps Area.

CHALLENGE BREMEN ATLANTIC RECORD

DOES the Bremen really hold the blue ribbon of the Atlantic? This question is asked by a British newspaper in advancing a claim for the record for crossing the Atlantic Ocean in the fastest time. The claim is put forward that in March, 1918, the H.M.S. *Courageous*, sent to the United States on a special mission, made the trip in less than four days. The *Courageous* always considered one of the fastest ships of the British Navy, recently set another record. At the time of the Palestine disorders, the *Courageous*, originally a cruiser and now rebuilt as an aircraft-carrier, was rushed from Malta to Jaffa, a distance of over 1,000 miles, in the record time of 36 hours.

PRAYER FOR RAIN COMMON, NOW COMES SNOW PRAYER

AN UNUSUAL situation was responsible for the postponement from the 8th to the 10th of January of the 1st Pursuit Group's Selfridge Field to Spokane flight. The Air Corps, for the first time in history, was waiting for bad weather. Snow and low temperature were indispensable to the conduct of the "Arctic Patrol" project, for in this undertaking skis are used instead of wheels on landing gears.

WAR CAUSES ECONOMIC, SAYS GEN. JACKSON

THERE will always be certain things that will bring about war—over-population, lack of food, economic difficulties between nations. I believe it is the lack of gold, of credit, more than anything else, that is keeping the peace in Europe today, declared Brig. Gen. William P. Jackson, USA, at a banquet recently given in his honor by the Buffalo Reserve Officers' Association.

Gen. Jackson, commanding officer of Madison Barracks, was recently appointed head of the 98th Division of Organized Reserves.

HOOPER ADDRESSES INSTITUTE OF STATESMANSHIP

CAPT. S. C. HOOPER, USN, Director of Naval Communications, attended this week the annual meeting of the Institute of Statesmanship, held at Rollins College, Winter Park, Florida. Many prominent business men, university professors and newspaper editors were present, taking part in the discussion on the subject of this year's conference, "public opinion." Capt. Hooper delivered an address before the meeting entitled "World Communications with Respect to Public Opinion."

PROMOTION REFORM LIKELY

IT IS GRATIFYING to learn that Congress continues impressed with the need of promotion reform in the Army, the Navy and Marine Corps. There has been delay in action, because of the realization that increased pay is of first importance and must be provided, but it is also appreciated that promotion systems must be created which will reduce, if not eliminate, the humps, and permit the steps upward in rank called for by increased experience and essential for self respect and consequent efficiency. We know that Congressman Britten, the able Chairman of the House Naval Committee, is determined to push the passage of the Navy and Marine Corps promotion bills, and that a like purpose animates the efficient Chairman of the House Military Committee, Congressman James with respect to the Army. We reiterate that the Services are fortunate in having as their spokesmen, such well informed and able statesmen as these two distinguished Congressmen.

TRAINING STATION RECOGNIZES HOSPITAL "MOTHER"

WITH all the officers of the San Diego Naval Training Station present, Capt. C. W. Cole, USN, presented "Mother" Ellsworth, a regular visitor to the men at the station hospital for the past nine years, with a loving cup as a token of the esteem of the commissioned personnel on duty there.

Originally a visitor to her son, an enlisted man subsequently discharged for disability, Mrs. Ellsworth has devoted Wednesday, Thursday and Sunday afternoons to visits of consolation and encouragement to the convalescents.

MATHEMATICS FAILURE ELIMINATES NEGRO CADET.

ALONSO PARHAM, the young negro appointee of Congressman De Priest the Military Academy, was among the 64 cadets failing to pass one or more of the mid-term examinations at West Point and consequently honorably discharged from the Academy. Forty-eight of those dismissed were, like Parham, plebs, the others sophomores.

Parham's deficiency was in mathematics. He and the others dismissed for one deficiency have the privilege of attempting to make it up in a special examination in March, and gaining re-admittance to the Academy. Parham's intentions in this regard are not known, but he is quoted as saying that his treatment by both officers and cadets at West Point was strictly fair.

It is thought that, if Parham is not reinstated, De Priest will appoint another negro.

TRANSFER OF R. I. CAV. UNIT CAUSES DISSENSION.

APETITION to Governor Case by officers of the 122 Cavalry R. I. NG, requesting his reconsideration of the transfer of the squadron of that regiment maintained in Rhode Island to the 103rd Field Artillery, led to a rebuke to the petitioners, the issuance of the transfer order, and the dropping from the unit of Lt. Col. S. A. Hall, senior officer of the regiment.

It is the Governor's contention that the officers had expressed themselves as reconciled to the change. This is denied by the officers.

The transfer leaves Rhode Island without a Cavalry unit, which, it is declared, is an essential for State militia purposes.

NAVAL OFFICERS TO P. G. COURSE

THE FOLLOWING OFFICERS have been selected for postgraduate courses of instruction in naval construction, commencing in July, 1930: Lieutenants (jg) Edmund M. Ragsdale and Alexander Sledge, and Ensigns Raymond O. Burzynski, William E. Howard, Ralph K. James, Henry T. Koonce, Charles M. Took, Charles R. Watts, John Zabalsky and Allen M. Zollars.

ORDERED TO NAVAL WAR COLLEGE.

FIFTEEN commanders have been ordered to the Naval War College under instruction in the new class which starts in July. The list to date, which will be augmented, includes the following commanders: Stuart W. Cake, Alfred W. Brown, Stuart O. Greig, Ralph B. Horner, Joseph Baer, Raymond F. Frellsen, William T. Mallison, Herman E. Welte, Guy C. Barnes, Andrew D. Denny, Francis T. Chew, Archer M. R. Allen, William R. Smith jr., Joel W. Bunkley and Arthur S. Dycart.

N. C. REPRESENTATIVE REPROVES SECRETARY ADAMS

SECRETARY OF THE NAVY ADAMS and Maj. Gen. Clarence R. Edwards, USA, ret., were roasted severely by Rep. Lindsey C. Warren, D. of North Carolina, in a speech before the House last week, for remarks they are reported as making, derogatory to the Coast Guard.

Mr. Warren took exception to an utterance attributed to Secretary Adams made in a speech delivered before the Boston Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Adams in his speech praising the personnel of the Navy is quoted as adding: "I want you to judge men of the Navy as I see them and not as you see them on Boston Common. Maybe the men on the Common are not Navy men. Perhaps they are from the Coast Guard."

"That statement, gentlemen of the House," declared Mr. Warren, "is a deliberate insult and slur on one of the noblest organizations in the world, and it is utterly unworthy of a man who holds a high position in the official family of the President."

"Edwards, now retired," the Representative went on, "is said to have declared that 'any Army officer and a gentleman would resign if called upon to perform the kind of work the Coast Guard is doing.'"

"Oh, what a miserable thing this is to see a Cabinet official deliberately seek to undermine by sneers and innuendoes the morale of a great organization dedicated primarily to the cause of humanity. No one thinks that the President countenances for a moment such insinuations coming from his Secretary of the Navy, but it can only have the effect of shaking confidence which has already been sorely tried."

REP. FRENCH TO SPEAK ON NAVAL LIMITATION

TWO speeches of interest are scheduled for Monday in the House of Representatives. Yesterday, Rep. French, chairman of the Sub-Committee on Naval Appropriations asked for permission to speak for an hour on Monday. Hearing Mr. French's request, Rep. Black, D. of New York asked him the subject of his address. Mr. French replied that he would speak on "What we may hope from the London conference." Whereupon Mr. Black asked for and obtained permission to address the house following Mr. French's speech.

SHEARER INCIDENT CLOSED

SO far as the government is concerned officially the Shearer incident is closed and no legal proceedings are to be instituted by the Attorney General against him or the shipbuilding corporations who financed his operations.

The President and the Department of Justice are understood to feel that the Senate investigation, recently closed, served the purpose of putting a ban on similar propaganda at the coming conference and brought out the facts concerned with his activities and charges.

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Naval Reserve Meetings

TWO events of great importance to the Naval Reserve are listed for next week at Washington, D. C. The annual convention of the Naval Reserve Officers' Association will be held on January 26th and 27th, with the Bureau of Navigation's yearly conference of reserve officers scheduled to begin the following day.

A meeting of the directors of the NROA will inaugurate the convention. This will be held at 3 o'clock Sunday, the 26th, at the Army and Navy Club. The election of next year's officers and the designation of date and place for next year's meeting are among the matters to be decided upon. If all business is not concluded at this meeting the directors will meet the following morning at 9 o'clock at the Willard Hotel. Present at the directors' meeting will be the twelve district directors or their representatives. The two latest past Presidents, Capt. Evers and Macklin, are also directors.

The general convention will convene at 10:00 A. M. on January 27th at the Willard Hotel, with between fifty and seventy-five officers of the Association expected to be present. Representatives of the Navy Department will attend, and discussions will be conducted with them. At 7:00 P. M. the annual banquet is to be held. The Banquet committee is composed of Capt. C. F. Macklin and J. A. Schofield, with Lt. Comdr. H. Nichols as treasurer. Civilian attire is customary at the convention, with either business or dinner clothes at the banquet.

Appointments have been made to the Resolutions committee, who must pass on all resolutions to come before the convention. The members of the committee are as follows: Capt. J. T. Nelson, D-F; Lt. Comdr. M. Mackenzie, D-F; Lt. W. M. Corlies, D-F; Lt. R. E. Wilson, D-F; Lt. (jg) M. W. Wells, C-V (S); Ens. F. W. Taylor, C-V (S); Comdr. G. C. Hall, SC-F; Lt. E. H. Hansen, C-V (S); Lt. Comdr. W. C. Tooze, D-F; Comdr. W. B. Allison, D-F.

The Bureau of Navigation's annual conference will start Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock when the officers ordered to the meeting will report. At ten the conference will assemble and Rear Adm. Richard H. Leigh will address the meeting. Capt. N. E. Nichols, Director Naval Reserve, will then take over the conference, which will be in session the rest of the week. All C-V (S) officers then report to the Director of Naval Communications Monday, February 3rd for an additional week's duty. All other officers will be detached Saturday, the 1st.

Officers of the Communication Volunteer Reserve will be under the direction of Capt. S. C. Hooper, Director of Naval Communications, and Comdr. Paul Bastedo, Assistant Director, during the second week of the conference. Problems of organization and training of the Communication Reserve will be discussed and instruction in the various phases of naval communication will be given. Meetings will be held at the Navy Department from Feb. 3, through the 7th. On Saturday, the 8th, the officers will visit NAA, Arlington, after which they will be detached.

Officers who will address the conference and the subjects of their talks are as follows: Comdr. William E. Eaton, MC, USN, "Physical Requirements of the Naval Reserve;" Comdr. Russell S. Crenshaw, USN, "The Task of the Reserve at Mobilization;" Capt. Stafford Hooper, USN, "Naval Communications;" Lt. Comdr. Arthur D. Struble, USN, "The Code and Signal Section of Naval Communications;" Capt. Charles W. Early, USN, "Cruises;" Capt. Byron McCandless, USN, "The R. O. T. C.;" Capt. Charles Blakely, USN, "Naval Reserve Inspection;" Capt. John A. Schofield, USN, miscellaneous subjects.



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Navy Flight Training

THE Bureau of Navigation has issued the following instructions governing recommendations of applicants for flight training, from which selections will be made for future classes. The exceptional advantages offered for advancement by successful completion of the course of Pensacola can be realized by all. Commanding officers will recommend to the Bureau of Navigation all men who request this training and who meet the following requirements:

(a) Maximum age not over 29 years on January 1, 1931. Men who have had previous experience in aviation and are especially qualified, and who are not over 31 years of age on January 1, 1931, may be recommended. The Bureau desires that recommendations of exceptional men who may be six or less months over 29 (or 31) on January 1, 1931, be submitted.

(b) Physically qualified and temperamentally adapted for aviation training involving actual control of aircraft.

(c) Of caliber suitable for the grade of chief petty officer or petty officer first class.

(d) Have good record and character.

(e) Possess a working knowledge of arithmetic, English, and composition, elementary magnetism, and elementary electricity. The fulfillment of this requirement will be established by conducting a preliminary examination prior to forwarding of recommendation.

If the applicant does not meet the above requirements, his application will not be forwarded.

If the applicant is in the vicinity of a ship or station to which a medical officer qualified in aviation medicine is attached, he will be examined to determine if he is physically and temperamentally adapted for aviation training involving actual control of aircraft. Report of such examination in duplicate, on Form N. M. S. Aviation No. 1, will be forwarded to the Bureau of Medicine and Surgery immediately. If the applicant is not in the vicinity of any such ship or station, the above examination will be made at the first opportunity and the required report forwarded.

In view of the length of time required to train enlisted personnel as aviation pilots and the cost of such training, the Bureau desires that when men are ordered to flight training at Pensacola, prior to transfer they be required to extend their enlistments so that on completion of flight training they will have three years' obligated service. There will be cases when it will not be legally possible for men to extend their enlistments for the required time; in such cases men will be required to agree to re-enlist upon expiration of current enlistment.

Transfer to Class F-2

AFTER February 15, the assignment of certain enlisted ratings to Class F-2 of the Fleet Naval Reserve will be proper, the Bureau of Navigation recently announced. All petty officers, firemen first class, hospital apprentices, first and second class, buglers first class, and all men qualified for submarine torpedo boat work regardless of rating may be, upon own request and upon termination of enlistment in the regular Navy be transferred to Class F-2.

The only obligation imposed on members of Class F-2 is to keep the district commandant informed of their correct address and physical condition and to hold themselves subject to active service in the Navy in time of war or during the existence of a national emergency declared by the President.

Those are the only occasions that members of Class F-2 can be called to active duty. They need not attend drills, nor will they be required to perform any duty that might interfere with their peace-time civil occupation. For this obligation the Navy will pay \$25.00 a year. Under certain circumstances Class F-2 men may re-enlist in the regular Navy and retain their former rating.

Assignment to Class F-2, Fleet Naval Reserve, is for a single period of four years only, and no re-assignment or extension in this class will be made at the end thereof. Upon completion of a four-year assignment, commandants of Naval districts will discharge men of Class F-2 from the Reserve.

Abolish Rating

THE Bureau of Navigation recently announced that the rating of enginemen, second class, is to be abolished and the duties of that rating be consolidated with those of machinist's mate.

No more advancements to engineman second class will be made. Men now holding that rate may be advanced to engineman first class, in accordance with existing instructions, if they are not qualified for transfer to the rating of machinist's mate.

Commanding officers are authorized to examine all enginemen for their corresponding class of machinist's mate and if found qualified to change their rates without regard to vacancies in the machinist's mate allowance. Only rated enginemen may be transferred to the machinist's mate branch under this authority and advantage will not be taken of it to advance non-rated men.

If the total number of enginemen plus machinist's mates on board is less than the combined allowance for these two groups, then vacancies exist and non-rated men may be advanced to machinist's mate second class to fill these vacancies, if qualified in accordance with current instructions.

NAVY TRANSPORT SAILINGS.

Chaumont—Will arrive Honolulu Jan. 20; leave Jan. 21, arrive Guam Feb. 1; leave Feb. 3, arrive Manila Feb. 8; will leave Manila March 10, arrive Guam March 15; leave March 15, arrive Honolulu March 26; leave March 27, arrive San Francisco April 3. Will leave Mare Island April 11 for the East Coast of the U. S. on the following itinerary: Arrive San Francisco, April 11; leave April 12, arrive San Pedro April 13; leave April 14, arrive San Diego April 15; leave April 16, arrive Corinto April 23; leave April 23, arrive Canal Zone April 25; leave April 27, arrive Port au Prince April 30; leave May 1, arrive Hampton Roads May 5.

Henderson—Will arrive Honolulu Jan. 24; leave Jan. 25, arrive San Diego Feb. 1; leave Feb. 4, arrive San Francisco Feb. 6 (via San Pedro). Will proceed to the Navy Yard, Mare Island, for overhaul. Will leave Mare Island March 13 for the Asiatic Station and return to San Francisco on the following itinerary: Arrive San Francisco, March 13; leave March 14, arrive Honolulu March 22; leave March 24, arrive Guam April 6; leave April 7, arrive Manila April 13; leave April 17, arrive Guam May 23; leave May 24, arrive Honolulu June 4; leave June 5, arrive San Francisco June 13.

Kittery—Will leave Hampton Roads Feb. 5 for the West Indies on the following itinerary: Arrive Guantanamo Feb. 10; leave Feb. 11, arrive Port au Prince Feb. 12; leave Feb. 13, arrive Cape Haitien Feb. 14; leave Feb. 15, arrive San Juan Feb. 17; leave Feb. 17, arrive St. Thomas Feb. 18; leave Feb. 19, arrive Hampton Roads Feb. 24. Will leave Hampton Roads on March 12 for the West Indies on the following itinerary: Arrive St. Thomas March 17; leave March 18, arrive San Juan March 19; leave March 19, arrive Cape Haitien March 21; leave March 22, arrive Port au Prince March 23; leave March 24, arrive Guantanamo March 25; leave March 26, arrive Hampton Roads March 31.

Nitro—Will arrive Hampton Roads Jan. 20; leave Jan. 25, arrive New York Jan. 26 for overhaul.

Patoka—Arrived Beaumont, Tex. Jan. 16; leave Jan. 18, arrive Portsmouth, N. H. Jan. 27; leave Jan. 29, arrive Boston Feb. 3 for overhaul.

Ramapo—Scheduled to leave San Pedro about Jan. 21 for Manila, arrive Manila Feb. 19; leave March 3, arrive San Pedro April 1.

Sapelo—Arrived Canal Zone Jan. 5; leave Jan. 18, arrive Guantanamo Jan. 21; leave Jan. 23, arrive Beaumont Jan. 29; leave Jan. 31, arrive Guantanamo Feb. 6. Sirius—Arrive Puget Sound Jan. 20; leave Jan. 23, arrive Honolulu Feb. 7; leave Feb. 13, arrive Mare Island Feb. 22; leave March 3, arrive San Pedro March 4; leave March 5, arrive San Diego March 6; leave March 8, arrive Corinto March 18; leave March 18, arrive Canal Zone March 21; leave March 23, arrive Hampton Roads March 30; leave April 7, arrive New York April 8. Will proceed to the Navy Yard for overhaul.

Vega—Arrived Boston Jan. 17.

USNA Visitors

MEMBERS of the Board of Visitors to the U. S. Naval Academy for 1930 as announced Jan. 11 by Vice President Curtis are as follows: Senators Allen (Rep.), of Kansas; Broussard (Dem.), of Louisiana; Tydings (Dem.), of Maryland, and Goldsborough (Rep.), of Maryland.

This board is composed of nine members, four from the Senate and five from the House.

Recommended Navy Bills

THE Navy Department recently submitted recommendations on a number of public bills referred to the House committee on Naval Affairs. Favorable recommendation was given to four of the bills, no objection was the action taken on one, while another was unfavorably reported on. The action on the six bills was identical with the action taken last session when the bills were introduced.

Favorable report was made by the Department on H. R. 7972, a bill to authorize the admission to naval hospitals of dependents of officers, nurses and enlisted men of the naval service. Priority would be given in admission to hospitals to those already enlisted to hospital care, and the cost of such care would be checked against the pay of the officer, nurse or enlisted man whose dependent is treated.

No objection to the enactment of H. R. 3801 was made in Acting Secretary Jahncke's letter on the bill. The bill would waive the limiting period of two years in Executive Order No. 2576 to enable the Board of Awards of the Navy Department to consider recommendation of the award of the distinguished flying cross to members of the Alaskan Survey Expedition.

H. R. 8415, which would amend the law relating to the loss of numbers by officers of the Navy who are found not professionally fit for promotion is favorably recommended. Under the present law an officer below the rank of commander who fails upon examination for promotion the first time suffers a loss of numbers equal to the average six months' rate of promotion to the grade to which the officer is undergoing examination during the five years next preceding the date of approval of said examination.

This bill would set the loss of numbers for line officers at 50 for ensigns, 25 for lieutenants, and 12 for lieutenants. The loss of numbers for an officer of the staff corps would be set at a number proportionate to the line.

Another bill favorably recommended would extend the right to hold civil office or appointment in any territory to retired officers of the Navy and Marine Corps, and to retired enlisted men of the Army, Navy and Marine Corps. Under existing law, retired Army officers are the only members of the service given this privilege.

Recommendation is given on H. R. 7973, a bill proposed by the Department, which would allow the Secretary of the Navy to prescribe the money value of the clothing, bedding and outfits issued to recruits. At present, men enlisting in the Navy must pay for part of their outfit because of a limit placed on the clothing allowance in the appropriation bill.

A bill authorizing the President to make four additional appointments to the Naval Academy to be chosen from residents of the Canal Zone was recommended unfavorably by the Department, as a consequence of the Bureau of the Budget reporting that the measure was in conflict with the financial program of the President.

Commissioned in NR

COMMISSIONS have been issued to the following Reserve Officers: Paul Dombey Miles, Ens., DE-V(G), Bronx, N. Y.; Joseph Wilson Mullally, Lt. DE-V (G), New York, N. Y.; Theodore Roosevelt Stansbury, Ens., DE-V (G), San Francisco, Cal.; Don Sweet Knowlton, Lt. Comdr. MC-V (S), Washington, D. C.

William Edgar Beakes, Lt. Comdr. C-V(S), Boston, Mass.; George Frederick Chapline, Lt. Comdr., A-V(G), Paterson, N. J.; Charles Edward Clutts, Ens., DE-V(G), Keene, N. H.; Frank Sheppard Cruickshank, Lt. MC-V(S), Boston, Mass.; Gilchrist Baker Stockton, Lt. Comdr. I-V(S), Jacksonville, Fla.; Felix Markham Whitaker, Lt. (jg) C-V(S), Durham, N. C.; Robert Houston Wolfe, Ens., I-V(S), Columbus, O.

Earl Whitman Lockwood, Ens., C-V (S), Balboa, C. Z.; Samuel Louis Nusbaum, Lt. (jg), DC-V(G), Newark, N. J., and Herbert Niemeyer, Ens. DE-F, Cincinnati, Ohio.



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Florida—James Gray Michael, 2nd Lt., Inf.

Georgia—Robert Benedict Eleazor, 2nd Lt. Inf.; Richard Henry Mayor, jr., Maj. FA.

Illinois—Donald Jonas Grubb, 1st Lt. Med.; Edwin Ralph Hibner, 2nd Lt. Air; Ward Richard Imes, 2nd Lt. Inf.; Morton Joseph Mills, 1st Lt. Med.; Harold Aubrey Moore, Maj. Inf.

Indiana—Allen Phelps Julian, 2nd Lt. Inf.

Kansas—Emerson Elwood Lynn, 2nd Lt. Cav.

Kentucky—Samson Kilby Bridges, Capt. FA; Oron Coin, Maj. Inf.; David Carlin Elliott, 1st Lt. Med.; George Eaton Nelson, Capt. Cav.

Maryland—Roland Dawson Foley, Capt. FA; Valentine Lentz, 1st Lt. MA. Massachusetts—Charles Irving Emerson, 2nd Lt. Air; William McGinnis, Capt. Inf.

Michigan—Paul Austin Brown, 1st Lt. Cav.; Wilson Lyle Crowl, 1st Lt. Inf.

Minnesota—James Peter Engle, 2nd Lt. FA; William Paul O'Malley, jr., 1st Lt. Dent.

Mississippi—John Purser Gates, jr., 1st Lt. Inf.; Frank McKee, Capt. Inf.; John William Patton, jr., Capt. Inf.

Nebraska—Joseph George Kruml, 1st Lt. Med.

New York—Benjamin J. Hyman, 1st Lt. Med.; Charles Adolph Lotter, 2nd Lt. Inf.

North Dakota—Charles Casey Finnegan, Capt. Inf.

Oklahoma—Fred Alphonso Barham, 2nd Lt. FA; James Walter Cloud, 1st Lt. Inf.; George Clay Moran, 2nd Lt. FA.

Ohio—Walter Owen Donner, 1st Lt. Dent.; Wilbur John Hadley, 2nd Lt. MA.; Robert Emmett Kennan, 2nd Lt. FA.

Oregon—William Henry Machen, 2nd Lt. MA.

Pennsylvania—Philip Israel Burack, 1st Lt. Med.; Robert Joseph Dunkin, 2nd Lt. Inf.; Harry John Knorr, 2nd Lt. FA; Kenneth Bruce Lloyd, 2nd Lt. Inf.

Texas—Myron Willard Merchant, 2nd Lt. FA.

Utah—Claude Lyle Curtis, Capt. FA. Wisconsin—Raymond Peter Dohr, 2nd Lt. Inf.; Albert George Ehren, 2nd Lt. Inf.; Douglas James McKenzie, Capt. Cav.; Orville Muenster, 2nd Lt. Inf.

To NG Convention

MAJ. GEN. HANSON E. ELY, commanding the 2nd Corps Area, and Col. W. K. Naylor will attend the New York National Guard convention at Syracuse, N. Y. today. Col. Naylor two phases of the World War, namely, will address the convention on the "Preparedness Phase" and the "Unpreparedness Phase."

Officers Write on History

Ft. Benning (Special)—Reading of monographs on historic military subject prescribed for members of the advanced course at the Infantry School began this week. Subjects treated by the different officers are:

Capt. R. M. Caulkins, Alexander the Great and his Asiatic Campaigns; Capt. L. N. Allyn, Hannibal and the Second Punic War; Capt. C. H. Owens, Caius Julius Caesar and his Campaigns; Capt. R. A. Evans, the Training Methods and Organization of Genghis Khan. Capt. C. M. Ankcorn, Gustavus Adolphus, the Battle of Walhof and the Thirty Years War; Capt. C. K. Fales, Marshal Turenne; Capt. C. A. Osborn, the Great Conde; Capt. J. K. Rice, Marlborough.

Capt. E. E. Walker, Frederick the Great and the Seven Years War; Maj. R. L. Garcia, Northern Campaigns in the American Revolution; Capt. F. E. Ambrose, Southern Campaigns in the American Revolution; Capt. P. L. Baldwin, Campaign of Marengo.

Capt. E. M. Yon, Battle of Austerlitz; Capt. R. L. Hunter, Battle of Friedland; Maj. G. A. Johnson, War of 1812; Capt. C. E. Rayens, Campaign of Waterloo.

Capt. J. O. Tarbox, Taylor's Campaign in Mexico; Capt. M. B. Ridgeway, Scott's Campaign in Mexico.

Capt. P. R. Hudson, First Battle of Bull Run; Capt. H. J. Collins, Jackson's Shenandoah Valley Campaign; Capt. J. J. Wilson, McClellan's Peninsula Campaign; Capt. H. M. Melaskey, Battle of Shiloh.

National Guard

Aberdeen, S. D. (Special)—Effective on completion of his present service in the Philippines, 1st Lt. M. D. Weinert, CE, is detailed as an engineer instructor, S. D. NG, with station here.

Berkeley, Calif. (Special)—Col. H. L. Cavanaugh, Cav. (DOL), on duty as division instructor, 40th Div., Calif. NG, has been ordered to leave about April 12 for detail in the Militia Bureau.

Annapolis (Special)—In recognition of the faithful service rendered by 1st Lt. R. S. Martin, Inf., Md. NG, since the World War, he has been breveted a captain of Infantry.

Boston (Special)—Armory inspection of various NG medical units will be conducted by Col. F. A. Dale, MC (DOL), at Danielson, Hartford, Middletown, New Haven, Bridgeport, Danbury, and Waterbury, Conn.; Wallingford and Rutland, Vt., and Pawtucket and Providence, R. I., during the period from Jan. 28 to April 14.

New Haven (Special)—Commencing Jan. 20, Capt. J. W. Campbell, Inf. (DOL), will inspect various units of the Connecticut National Guard in New Haven, West Haven, Wallingford, Ansonia, Waterbury, Torrington, Williamantic, South Manchester, Hartford, New Britain, Bristol, Middletown and Meriden.

Boston (Special)—The annual armory inspection of Coast Artillery units in Boston, New Bedford, Fall River, and Chelsea, Mass., will be inspected by Maj. G. D. Holland, 9th CA, Ft. Banks, from Feb. 10 to April 14.

Providence, R. I. (Special)—1st Lt. B. M. Fitch, FA (DOL), stationed at the Armory of Mounted Commands here, will inspect the armories of FA units, Mass. NG, commencing Feb. 17, visiting Taunton, New Bedford, Brockton, Boston, Salem, Lynn, Lowell, Lawrence and Gloucester.

Charlestown, Mass. (Special)—Maj. F. M. Maddox, Inf. (DOL), will inspect National Guard armories in Boston, Newton, Cambridge, Norwood, Quincy, Plymouth and Higham, Mass., from Feb. 25 to April 17.

St. Louis (Special)—Upon completion of his present tour in the Canal Zone, Capt. A. R. Herold, AC, will be detailed with the Air Corps, Mo. NG, as an instructor here.

Headquarters Company, 2nd Battalion, 1st Inf., Md. NG, Laurel, having the highest attendance percentage in the regiment in December, is the winner of the regimental banner, to be held until February 15. The 1st is the leading battalion, with an attendance percentage of 73.46 for the month. The regimental percentage is 68.90.

In the 5th Infantry, Headquarters Company, 3rd Baltimore, leads the regiment with 85.10 per cent. Regimental percentage, 61.93.

Baltimore (Special) Company D, 5th Infantry, Md. NG, won the regimental track meet in the 5th Regiment armory here, scoring 35 points. F Company scored 33 points; Service Company 10; 3rd Battalion Headquarters Company 8; C Company 5; L 3; I 2.

List of National Guard units, instructors and sergeant-instructors, 3rd Corps Area, Jan. 1, have just been published by the Corps Area Headquarters. Stations, dates of Federal recognition, and other valuable National Guard data are included.

Byrd Radios M. O. W. W.

A RADIO message from Rear Adm. Richard E. Byrd in Little America has been received by Rear Adm. T. J. Cowie, president of the Military Order of the World War. The message was relayed from the radio station at Tutulia, Samoa, and reads as follows:

"Rear Adm. T. J. Cowie, Navy Department, Washington, D. C.: Many thanks your radio stop The inhabitants of Little America join me in best of good wishes for the New Year stop Kind personal regards to you and fellow members of the Military Order of the World War. Byrd."

The message was in reply to one sent by the Order through courtesy of radio station WGY, Schenectady, New York, which read, "The officers and companions of the Military Order of the World War send heartiest congratulations to you and all of your party for your achievements and rejoice at the recognition and promotion awarded you. T. J. Cowie."

Transfer Corps Artillery

UNDER the new tables of organization, National Guard regiments of 155-mm howitzers have been transferred from corps artillery to the artillery brigades of Infantry divisions as follows:

Conn.—192d FA headquarters at New London, assigned to 68th FA Brig., 43d Div.

N. Y.—106th FA, headquarters at Buffalo, assigned to 52d FA Brig., 27th Div.

Pa.—108th FA, headquarters at Philadelphia, assigned to 53d FA Brig., 28th Div.

Miss., S. C., and Tenn.—178th FA, headquarters not as yet organized, assigned to 56th FA Brig., 31st Div.

N. C.—113th FA, headquarters at Raleigh, assigned to 55th FA Brig., 30th Div.

Ind.—150th FA, headquarters at Kokomo, assigned to 63d FA Brig., 38th Div.

Ohio—136th FA, headquarters not as yet organized, assigned to 62d FA Brig., 37th Div.

Ill.—123d FA, headquarters not as yet organized, assigned to 58th FA Brig., 33d Div.

Wis.—121st FA, headquarters at Milwaukee, assigned to 57th FA Brig., 32d Div.

Iowa—185th FA, headquarters at Davenport, assigned to 59th FA Brig., 34th Div.

Tex.—133d FA, headquarters not as yet organized, assigned to 61st FA Brig., 36th Div.

Ore.—218th FA, headquarters at Portland, assigned to 66th FA Brig., 41st Div.

Assignments of howitzer regiments to the artillery brigades of the 29th, 35th, 40th, 44th and 45th Infantry Divisions will be made later. The 29th Division is composed of National Guard troops of Maryland, Virginia and the District of Columbia; the 35th Division of troops of Nebraska, Kansas and Missouri; 40th Division of troops of California, Nevada and Utah; the 44th Division of troops from Colorado, Oklahoma, New Mexico and Arizona.

The 172d FA regiment, N. H. and Me. NG, has been assigned to the 26th Division, Mass. NG, for mobilization purposes only, until a howitzer regiment can be allotted to Massachusetts.

Pershing Caps for NG

MAJ. GEN. W. G. EVERSON, Chief of the Militia Bureau, has sent a letter to all the states to submit requisitions for Pershing caps to uniform their respective National Guardsmen. This, with the new roll collar uniforms for the National Guard, brings it up to the standard of the Regular Army, so far as uniform goes. It is believed this will greatly increase the morale of the National Guard and make it more popular with the young men of the country.

At Army Message Center

THE Army Message Center, office of the chief signal officer, under direction of Capt. Frank E. Stoner, SC, during December handled 14,026 messages, or 580,237 words, radio, and 4,540 messages, 178,652 words, leased wire.

Eleven words separated the records for the month of Pvs. (Spec., 2cl.) George Frankel and John Moncrief, 17th Signal Service Co., the former sending 113,214 and the latter 113,203 words.

DSC AWARDED POSTHUMOUSLY.

Ft. Hamilton (Special)—Impressive military ceremonies marked the formal presentation of a posthumous Distinguished Service Cross at 1st Division headquarters, on Jan. 1, to Mrs. Eva J. Crotty, of New York City, widow of Sgt. P. J. Crotty, Company K, 6th Inf. (old 69th N. Y.), 42nd Div., AEF, who died in France from battle wounds.

Brig. Gen. Hugh A. Drum, 1st Division commander, presented the decoration during exercises on the Ft. Hamilton parade ground, while troops of the 18th U. S. Infantry participated in the ceremonies.

The citation recites how Sgt. Crotty displayed extraordinary heroism on July 28, 1918, near Villers-sur-Fere, France.

Leading 22 other men of Company K against a strongly fortified machine gun nest, he forced the enemy to retire with heavy losses. For three hours he continued to hold the position, but was forced to retire when casualties reduced his party to five men. He died from wounds five days later.

Federal Recognitions

THE following officers of the National Guard have received Federal recognition in the ranks indicated:

Cols.—S. A. Hall, Cav., R. I.; M. A. Campbell, Inf., Vt.

Lt. Cols.—W. F. McFarland, FA, Kans.; L. F. Wing, Inf., Vt.

Majs.—A. C. Linn, CAC, N. Y.; F. O. Lind, CE, R. I.; H. E. Connors, CE, R. I.

Cpts.—A. B. Bates, CAC, Ore.; R. H. Winsor, FA, Wash.; E. F. Hannon, Inf., Mass.; L. C. Maxwell, QMC, Ida.; W. J. Adams, Inf., Mass.; H. N. Simmons, Inf., N. Y.; Capt. E. T. Fish, FA, Ohio; H. O. Price, Inf., Ky.; L. A. Swoboda, Cav., Kans.

1st Lts.—R. H. Burgess, Inf., Tex.; C. B. Cochran, Inf., Okla.; M. R. Warren, FA, Okla.; C. B. Daly, Inf., N. Y.; J. W. Davenport, FA, Pa.; W. Gwynn, Cav., Wyo.; C. E. Johnson, OD, N. Y.; S. S. Jones, FA, Wash.; W. G. Mee, Inf., Ohio; J. E. Winney, Inf., N. Y.; W. A. Dominick, Inf., Ala.; P. D. Isenmenger, Inf., Ill.; B. H. Smith, FA, Me.; W. F. Wulf, FA, N. Y.; L. R. Adams, CE, Mass.; D. L. Chapman, CE, Idaho; E. R. Chappell, Inf., N. Y.; H. S. Ingraham, CAC, Me.; H. V. Sheridan, Inf., Mass.; C. J. White, Inf., N. Y.; S. B. Helms, Inf., Ark.; J. G. Baker, Inf., Ohio; J. D. Burgert, Inf., Ohio; J. L. Miller, Inf., N. Y.; N. W. Gayle, QMC, Ala.

2nd Lts.—E. V. Loomis, FA, Okla.; O. R. Powers, FA, Okla.; W. C. Eischkau, FA, Pa.; A. R. Boyack, Cav., Wyo.; J. H. Mitchell, FA, N. Y.; H. M. Brown, FA, Me.; D. W. Caswell, FA, N. Y.; B. S. Cohn, Cav., Kans.; D. H. Lansing, Inf., T. H.; W. F. Beavis, Inf., Mass.; S. B. Helms, Inf., Ark.; R. G. Witherell, FA, Mass.; C. Chappell, AC, Calif.; J. J. Fogarty, Inf., N. Y.; M. C. Galliano, Inf., N. Y.; M. O. Pugh, Inf., Md.; P. J. Auxier, Inf., Colo.; L. L. Sevebeck, AC, Ohio.

Special Course At CW Sch.

THE Secretary of War has directed that a special course of instruction for field officers be conducted at the Chemical Warfare School, Edgewood Arsenal, from July 7 to August 1. The course is intended for field officers and senior captains who about that time are scheduled for relief from duty at the Army War College, the Coast Artillery School, National Guard, Reserve and Reserve Officers' Training Corps details and from duty in the War Department.

Quotas have been allotted to the arms and services as follows:

Inf., 20; Cav., eight; FA., eight; CA., eight; CE., two; AC., two; SC., one; QMC., two; Ord., one; MC., two; total, 54.

Phillips Saddle to NG Cav.

IN COMPLETION of the previously announced program of the Militia Bureau to furnish all National Guard Cavalry units with 50 per cent of peace requirements for Phillips pack saddles, machine gun, machine gun ammunition, machine rifle and radio packs, the commanding generals of the various Corps Areas have been requested to submit necessary requisitions for this equipment which will soon be ready for delivery.

LEADS HONOR ROLL

Annapolis (Special)—Headquarters Company, 2nd Bn., 1st Infantry, leads the December honor roll for enlisted attendance at drills in the Maryland National Guard, with 97.41.

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"It seems well that Congress should name a joint committee with full powers to make a complete and accurate study of the situation and report to the Membership of the House and Senate just what should be done in the way of relief for the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey and Public Health Service."—REPRESENTATIVE B. CARROLL REECE.

WHILE the action of the House Rules Committee in reporting out the Joint Resolution for a pay investigation at its first meeting of the session is gratifying, it is unfortunate that there should have been a disposition on the part of some of the Congressmen to prejudge the case before the joint committee has even been authorized. Suggestions were made by some that the investigation should not be considered as a route to pay increases. Why do they not defer judgment until the investigation committee is formed and gets the facts?

THERE IS, OF COURSE, a mass of information which will buttress the basic facts. There is the evidence collected by the Interdepartmental Pay Board, which shows the numerous injustices inherent in the existing pay laws and rulings. There are reports and statistics in the files of the several executive departments. There are the statistics compiled by the Bureau of Efficiency. There are the letters from Service men and women published by the Army and Navy Journal, which recite the pathetic measures taken to make both ends meet, and which are imposed by inadequate pay upon every officer and man and their families. All this material constitutes a searchlight which throws powerfully into view the imperative need of adoption of the pay schedules laid down by the Interdepartmental Board.

WE WANT THE COUNTRY to know the facts as revealed by the Commission's investigation. The Army and Navy Journal has been going for months to many of the newspapers of the land. It will continue to go to them. We ask the editors who receive the Army and Navy Journal to read the evidence which we will publish textually just as they have read the appeals and letters we have been printing. As the human character of those letters caused them, without a dissenting voice, to support the movement for pay revision, so we believe the sound reason which the evidence will furnish will induce them to be even more insistent upon speedy action by the Commission and speedy approval of its recommendations. The Services may rely upon us to do everything we possibly can to keep the people informed, for in that way lies the hope of prompt relief.

THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES has gone on record, in its passage of the Army supply bill, in support of the existing strength of the Military Establishment. In the face of announcements made months ago by the Administration that it planned to cut sharply the expenses of the Land Service, the men who appeal for election every two years have made the deliberate declaration that there shall be no further reduction of the number of officers and enlisted men. We are told that President Hoover's survey of the Army may result in economies, and that he may decline to permit expenditures which he deems unnecessary. We are for all proper economies, but we point out that the supply bill which the House passed was first prepared in budget form by the War Department, then microscopically examined and revised by the Budget Bureau, then submitted to Congress by the President, who approved every item it contained. Following the receipt of the estimates, the House Appropriations Committee examined and cross examined witnesses, and finally reported the bill to the House, and the House passed it. Certainly, if any economies were discernible, why were they not established before the President, the Budget Bureau and the House acted? The stupidity of a procedure which finds economies after authorization of what are termed necessary expenditures, is apparent.

THE ECONOMIES, WHICH it is suggested may be made, are to result from the survey the President is making. Those economies will be based, it is said, upon the investigation made by the General Staff. Where is the report of the General Staff? In order to obtain a true picture and assure proper appropriations, this report should have been laid before Congress. The country should know its character and recommendations. If the Administration declines to make the report public (what is the reason, we wonder), Congress should pass a resolution calling upon the Chief Executive to transmit the document for its information. Frankly, we are eager to learn the conclusions of the General Staff, and we believe we are in this desire for knowledge, only one of the vast number of people who are anxious to be informed on such a vital matter as the safety of their country.

THERE WILL BE delay in the enactment of the Navy supply bill, because of ignorance of what may come out of the London Disarmament Conference. We sympathize with the delegates and their aides who traveled on the George Washington that they were deprived of beer, as reported by a United Press dispatch, but doubtless this deplorable lack of consideration will be more than made up by the hospitable English whose flowing bowl will make for cheer and goodfellowship during the course of the negotiations. We hope in the genial atmosphere which will be created the name of the ship on which these representatives traveled will remain in their conscious minds, and that the axioms of the Father of His Country will not be forgotten—beware of entangling alliance, and maintain preparedness.

AS TO ENTANGLING alliances, we note that Secretary Stimson, Chairman of the delegation, allowed it to become known that the United States, so far as the Administration is concerned, would be willing to link up the London Conference with the League of Nations. We had an idea that the American people distinctly and overwhelmingly repudiated any suggestion of a connection with the League in the elections of 1920. We know that President Coolidge repeatedly declared that this Government would not join the League. President Hoover has made the same utterance. Now it appears, according to the Secretary of State, that the United States is to retain its independence of the League and at the same time be prepared to turn its work over to the League. The question that arises in our mind is this: Is the Secretary unconsciously moving his country to League membership or to associated or joint action which will mean membership? Is, in fact, an entangling alliance being created against which George Washington so solemnly warned us, and which the people, every time they have had a chance to express themselves, have sharply repudiated? These are questions which we believe patriotic Senators and Representatives will answer at the appropriate time.

Service Humor

Good to the Last Drop.

A group of pilots were buzzing about something or another as the flight commander approached, and several times he caught the expression "the last word in airplanes."

"Well," he said as he reached the group, "what is the last word in airplanes?"

The group chorused: "Jump!"

Defaulted.

A clerk, who, was helping a colored gentleman confined in one of the institutions around the country to make out his application for Adjusted Compensation, asked the following of the applicant:

"Were you a conscientious objector?" and received this reply:

"Ah don't know, Ah never put in for any."—Contributed.

Brought Him Royalty.

Two doughboys were playing whist, when Jake looked at his hand and said: "Turn this into a poker game and give me a queen, and I'll bet \$10 on this hand."

Clutching his facial muscles with his masterly will, Al countered:

"Sure, but let's make it interesting. Bet you \$50 instead of ten. Here's your queen."

The money was put up. Al laid down four kings. Jake laid down four aces.

Four hours later, Al was found at the table ruminating over Jake's hand. Finally he gave it up.

"I'll be doggoned and blistered if I can see what in hell he wanted with that queen."

Them's Harsh Words.

Judge: "Can you tell the court exactly what the traffic officer said to you?"

Defendant: "No, but I can give you a gruff idea."—Calif. Guardsman.

Make a Noise Like a Gun.

Officer: Now tell me what is your idea of strategy?

Pvt.: It is when you don't let the enemy know that you're out of ammunition, but keep right on firing.

—Hoof Prints.

Couldn't Eat His Bread Dry.

It was before prohibition, and Sgt. Slavin, entering a Coney Island joint, saw Doogan, who had bet that he would abstain for a solid year, with an immense schooner before him.

The Sgt. was a man of few words. He went up to Doogan and extended his palm.

"Pay me," he said simply.

"What for," demanded Doogan, "I ain't drinking."

"No?" sneered the Sgt. "What's the schooner for, an ornament?"

"Why," replied the private, "I was only dipping my bread in it."

Two Tales of a City.

A youth, relates a correspondent, recently mounted the network of Brooklyn Bridge with the evident object of ending it all.

"Come back," called a big-hearted sailor, "you have everything to live for."

"I ain't," retorted the youth, climbing still higher.

"Aw, come on down and we'll talk it over. Life ain't so worse."

A little more coaxing, and the intending suicide relented. For fifteen minutes life was discussed in all its chamber aspects. Then they arose, and both jumped off.

Full Many a Gem

of rarest bunk sublime gathers dust unsnickered at when two (2) cents would put it in the hands of the Humor Editor.

WHEN YOU ARE TRANSFERRED

ASK the Journal about living conditions, etc., at the Post to which you have been directed to proceed. Questions will be answered as soon as possible either in this column or by letters. Address Post Editor.

B. L. K. Camp Nichols, P. I., is five miles from Manila. The post exchange maintains a taxi service stand. A private car is not essential, as a post bus collects officers and non-commissioned officers living in Manila each morning and returns them to Manila at noon. Manila public schools are used. Native servants cost \$5 per week. City markets are used for shopping. Post quarters are insufficient, with seven sets for married officers, and one set for Medical Corps N. C. O's. Good accommodations are available at Manila hotels and apartments. Chief sports at Camp Nichols are golf, tennis, polo, basketball, baseball and bowling, all played at the post. The tropical weather calls for cotton clothing. The Air Corps garrisons Camp Nichols. There is a post chaplain assigned.

ASK THE JOURNAL

ALL questions on which our readers desire information will be answered as soon as possible after receipt. If there is any query you have in mind, send it to the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL QUESTION EDITOR. It will save you time and trouble. Avail yourselves of this "Service to the Services."

Col. C. C. S.—The origin of three volleys over a soldier's grave is traceable to the Romans, though not the significance of the custom among that people. With each discharge of arrows, the friends of the deceased said "Vale!" (farewell), but the word "volley" is not derived from "vale" but from "volo" (to fly). In this connection, it may be mentioned, however, that "salvo" is derived from "salve" (hail).

IN THE JOURNAL 60 YEARS AGO

In a collision between the USS Miantonomah and the USS Maria, a tug, the Maria was sunk. Following the accident, which occurred just off the Vineyard lighthouse, a court of inquiry was appointed to look into the matter.

A report has been submitted to the Secretary of War, by Capt. Charles W. Raymond, of the Engineer Corps, respecting the territory along the banks of the Yukon River in Alaska.

The officers of the Navy who are under instruction in the duties of the Signal Corps of the Army, for the purpose of forming such a detachment in the Navy, were presented to the Secretary of War recently.

Mr. Stevens has introduced in the House of Representatives a bill providing for the revision of rank in the Navy. The bill creates the grades of medical and pay directors and engineer inspectors with the rank of captain and commander; surgeons, paymasters and chief engineers rank with commanders; passed assistant surgeons, paymasters and engineers will rank with lieutenants, and assistants with masters. No increase in pay is proposed in this measure.

A bill to provide places for the 500 supernumerary officers left without command has been forwarded to the House Committee on Military Affairs.

Navy Dept.
Marine CorpsCoast Guard
Naval Reserves

OFFICIAL ORDERS

War Dept.
Corps AreasNational Guard
Officers' Reserve Corps

ARMY ORDERS

GENERAL STAFF CORPS

GEN. C. P. SUMMERALL, C. OF S. Appointment of Brig. Gen. E. E. Booth as Maj. Gen., with rank from Dec. 23, 1929, announced; he will remain on pres. duties. (Jan. 13.)

Appointment of Col. Robert McCleave (Inf.) as brig. gen., with rank from Dec. 13, 1929, announced. (Jan. 13.)

Col. R. McCleave (Inf.) from detail as member of the GSC, from assignment to duty with GS troops as of Dec. 13, announced; he will remain on pres. duties. (Jan. 13.)

INSPECTOR GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT
COL. J. G. PRESTON, ACTING I. G. Retirement of Maj. Gen. W. C. Rivers, The I. G., from active service on Jan. 11, announced; he will proceed to his home. (Jan. 11.)

QUARTERMASTER CORPS

MAJ. GEN. B. F. CHEATHAM, THE QMG. Capt. R. E. Shannon from duty at N. Y. gen. depot, Bklyn., N. Y., Feb. 1, to Wash., D. C., for duty in office of the QMG. (Jan. 11.)

Col. R. E. Tompkins, from duties in office of QMG, Apr. 1, to Chicago, Ill., for assignment to duty with QMG. (Jan. 13.)

Capt. T. Phillips, to duty as asst. to the qm., Presidio of S. F., Calif., May 30, in addition to other duties. (Jan. 13.)

Capt. M. A. McFadden from further assignment and duty as constructing qm., Rockwell Fld., Calif.; to S. F., Calif., and sail Feb. 1 for N. Y. C., thence to Maxwell Fld., Ala., for duty as constructing qm. (Jan. 13.)

Capt. C. J. Morelle, now at Letterman Gen. Hosp., Presidio of S. F., Calif.; to president of Army Retiring Bd., Hdqrs. 9th CA. (Jan. 13.)

1st Lt. S. Megargee from duty with 1st Div., Ft. Hamilton, N. Y., to Ft. Hancock, N. J., for duty as asst. to cmdr. off., overhaul park and spare parts depot. (Jan. 13.)

1st Lt. H. Spigelmyre from duties at Holabird QM. Depot, Balto., Md., Apr. 20, to Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., for duty with QMG of 2d Div. (Jan. 13.)

Capt. J. Shocklin from duty at Jeffersonville QM. Depot, Ind., Feb. 1, to Ft. Jay, N. Y., for duty as asst. to qm. (Jan. 14.)

CORPS OF ENGINEERS

MAJ. GEN. LYLE BROWN, C. OF E. 1st Lt. W. E. Lorence from duty as asst. to dist. engr., Memphis, Tenn., to Boston, Mass., May 1, for assignment to duty with CE. (Jan. 13.)

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT

MAJ. GEN. C. C. WILLIAMS, CO. MAJ. P. G. Blackmore from duty as ord. representative of Caterpillar Tractor Co., San Leandro, Calif., to S. F., Calif., and sail May 24, for N. Y. C., thence to Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md., for assignment to duty. (Jan. 11.)

Capt. J. G. Holmes from duty at Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md., Mar. 1, to Dover, N. J., for assignment to duty at Picatinny Arsenal. (Jan. 13.)

Capt. O. P. Winningsstad from duty in office of C. of O., Wash., D. C., to N. Y. C., and sail June 18 for S. F., Calif., thence to San Leandro, Calif., for duty as ord. representative at Caterpillar Tractor Co. (Jan. 13.)

SIGNAL CORPS

MAJ. GEN. G. S. GIBBS, CSO. Maj. C. V. Simpson to duty in office of CSO, Wash., D. C., on completion of pres. tour of foreign service. (Jan. 11.)

CHAPLAINS

CHAP. J. E. YATES, C. OF CHAP. Chap. J. T. DeBardeleben, USA, from duties at Ft. Bliss, Tex., to duty at Ft. Oglethorpe, Ga. (Jan. 13.)

Chap. W. A. Aiken, USA, from duties at Madison Bks., N. Y., to duty at Ft. DuPont, Dela. (Jan. 13.)

Order amended to read Chap. C. C. Merrill to duty at Madison Bks., N. Y., on completion of pres. tour of foreign service. (Jan. 14.)

CAVALRY

MAJ. GEN. H. B. CROSBY, C. OF CAV. 1st Lt. F. J. Thompson from assignment to 4th Cav., from further duty at Ft. Meade, S. D., detailed at the N. Mex. Military Institute, Roswell, N. Mex. (Jan. 10.)

The following have been examined for promotion, and found physically disqualified, have been retired from active service, Jan. 13, on which date they would have been promoted to grade of colonel if found qualified:

Lt. Col. W. J. Scott, Lt. Col. A. S. Perkins. (Jan. 14.)

FIELD ARTILLERY

COL. WM. BRYDEN, ACTING C. OF CA. Maj. A. R. Harris from duties as instr., FA Sch., Ft. Sill, Okla., Apr. 29, assigned to 1st FA, Ft. Sill, for duty. (Jan. 10.)

Capt. G. P. Hays from assignment to 18th FA, for further duty at Ft. Sill, Okla., to S. F., Calif., and sail May 29, for Philippine Dept., for duty with FA. (Jan. 11.)

Following from assignment as stu., FA Sch., Ft. Sill, Okla., on completion of pres. course to S. F., Calif., and sail June 1 for Hawaiian Dept. for duty with FA:

2nd Lts. F. F. Carpenter, T. A. Jennings, J. B. Rasbach. (Jan. 11.)

1st Lt. J. Hinton assigned to 3d FA, Ft. Sheridan, Ill., on completion of pres. tour of foreign service. (Jan. 11.)

Capt. D. B. Rogers from duty with 12th FA, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., de-

Status of Promotion in Service

ARMY PROMOTION STATUS

Promotions and Vacancies on the Promotion List (Cumulative) Since Jan. 3, 1930

Last promotion to the grade of colonel: Eben Swift, Jr., FA, No. 36, Page 157, July, 1929, A. L. & D. Last nomination—Selwyn D. Smith, Cav. Vacancies—None. Senior lieutenant colonel—Clarence C. Culver, AC.

Last promotion to the grade of lieutenant colonel—Edward W. Wildrick, FA, No. 633, Page 158. Last nomination—John S. Pratt, CAC. Vacancies—One. Officer entitled—Joseph C. King, Cav. Senior major if vacancy were filled—Martyn H. Shute, Inf.

Last promotion to the grade of major—Clarence P. Evers, Inf., No. 2370, Page 165. Last nomination—Stacy Knopf, FA. Vacancies—One. Officer entitled—James M. Garrett, Jr., FA. Senior captain if vacancy were filled—Alan Pendleton, Inf.

Last promotion to the grade of captain—Ulmont W. Holly, Inf., No. 5762, Page 177. Last nomination—Andre L. Violante, QMC. Vacancies—9. Officers entitled—Leighton N. Smith, Cav.; Charles W. Pence, Inf.; Jerome G. Harris, Inf.; Henry E. Kelly, Inf.; Claude B. Mickelwait, Inf.; William B. Sharp, Inf.; Arthur C. Perrin, Ord.; Marcus E. Jones, Cav.; Harold P. Hennessy, CAC. Senior first lieutenant if vacancy were filled—Walter A. Bigby, Inf.

Last promotion to the grade of first lieutenant—Mark E. Smith, Jr., Inf., No. 8519, Page 187. Last nomination—Lucien F. Wells, Jr., Inf. Vacancies—31. Officers entitled—Richard T. Mitchell, Inf., No. 8551 through Robert C. Andrews, Inf., No. 8581. Senior second lieutenant if vacancies were filled—Herbert F. M. Matthews, Inf.

Vacancies in grade of second lieutenant (Pro. List Branches) 38.

MAJ. GEN. PRESTON BROWN, MAJ. GEN. J. H. Hughes, Ch. of Staff.

NATIONAL GUARD

PENNSYLVANIA

Officers of the Pennsylvania National Guard have been appointed and assigned as follows:

Lt. Col. H. A. Reninger, AGD, Adj. Gen. Dept., S. S. C. & D.; 2nd Lt. R. E. Pollock, QMC, Q. M. Corps, S. S. C. & D.; 2nd Lt. J. C. Boseman, SC, 28th Sig. Co., Spec. Tps., 28th Div.; Capt. A. V. E. Donaldson, MC, 108th Hosp. Co., 103rd Med. Regt.; Capt. R. C. Jarrette, CAC, Btry. G, 213th C. A. (A. A.); 2nd Lt. L. B. Bright, FA, Hq. Btry. & Comb. Tn., 2nd Bn. 176th F. A.; 1st Lt. J. A. Young, Cav., Tr. A 103rd Cav.; 1st Lt. F. S. McGhee, Cav., Tr. K 103rd Cav.; 1st Lt. T. J. Barnhart, Cav., Tr. B 103rd Cav.

tailed for duty with OR, 6th C. A., 328th FA, Detroit, Mich. (Jan. 11.)

Maj. C. G. Helmick from duties as instr., FA Sch., Ft. Sill, Okla., May 17, assigned to 1st FA, Ft. Sill. (Jan. 13.)

1st Lt. J. P. Barney, Jr., from assignment to 18th FA, for further duty at Ft. Des Moines, detailed at Purdue Univ., LaFayette, Ind. (Jan. 13.)

COAST ARTILLERY CORPS

MAJ. GEN. ANDREW HERO, Jr., C. OF CA.

Order amended to read 1st Lt. H. P. Hennessy to S. F., Calif., and sail Feb. 8, for P. I. (Jan. 11.)

Appointment of Col. W. E. Cole as brig. gen., with rank from Jan. 13, announced. (Jan. 13.)

Maj. O. C. Warner from duty with 52d CA, Ft. Eustis, Va., detailed for duty as instr., CA, N. Y. NG, N. Y. C. (Jan. 13.)

2nd Lt. R. T. Frederick detailed in AC, May 1, from assignment to 52d CA, from further duty at Ft. Totten, N. Y., to Brooks Fld., Tex., for duty and training at AC Prim. Flying Sch. (Jan. 13.)

Lt. Col. J. C. Ohnstad from assignment to 51st CA, from further duty at Ft. Eustis, Va., to Ft. Monroe, Va., for duty with CA board. (Jan. 14.)

1st Lt. R. A. Knapp from assignment to 9th CA, for further duty at Ft. Banks, Mass., Feb. 1, assigned to 11th CA, Ft. H. G. Wright, N. Y., for duty. (Jan. 14.)

1st Lt. W. B. Short from assignment to 34 CA, from further duty at Ft. MacArthur, Calif., Feb. 1, assigned to 14th CA, Ft. Worden, Wash., for duty. (Jan. 14.)

1st Lt. A. F. Cameron from assignment to 3d CA, from further duty at Ft. MacArthur, Calif., assigned to 6th CA, Ft. Winfield Scott, Calif., to San Pedro and sail Mar. 1, for S. F., thence Ft. Scott. (Jan. 14.)

Capt. E. C. Calicut from assignment to 34 CA, for further duty at Ft. MacArthur, Calif., and from add. duty as Army member of joint merchant vessel board, 11th nav. dist., Feb. 1, assigned to 14th CA, Ft. Worden, Wash., for duty. (Jan. 14.)

Following from assignment to 63d CA, Ft. Winfield Scott, Calif., effective on departure of that organization for Ft. MacArthur, Calif., then assigned to 6th CA, Ft. Winfield Scott, Calif., for duty.

Capt. W. H. Sweet, 2nd Lt. W. M. Vestel. (Jan. 14.)

Following from duty indicated Jan. 31, assigned to 6th CA, Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.:

NAVY PROMOTION STATUS

Jan. 17, 1930

Rear Adm. O. G. Murán, Capt. L. Noyes, Comdr. W. Capehart, Lt. Comdr. K. M. Hoeftel, Lt. E. R. Durgin, Lt. (jg) E. F. Vort.

Medical Corps

Rear Adm. N. J. Blackwood, Capt. J. A. Biello, Comdr. G. W. Calver, Lt. Comdr. J. E. Andrews, Lt. C. M. Dumbauld.

Dental Corps

Comdr. E. E. Harris, Lt. Comdr. Thomas White, Lt. J. M. Thompson, Jr.

Supply Corps

Rear Adm. T. H. Hicks, Capt. F. E. McMillen, Comdr. F. C. Bowerfield, Lt. Comdr. E. R. Bailey, Lt. E. T. Stewart, Jr.; Lt. (jg) Murray W. Clark.

Chaplain Corps

Capt. E. A. Duff, Comdr. T. L. Kirkpatrick, Lt. Comdr. W. L. Thompson, Lt. F. G. Hangan, Lt. (jg) Act. Chap. C. H. Douglas.

Construction Corps

Rear Adm. G. H. Rock, Capt. L. S. Border, Comdr. F. G. Crisp, Lt. Comdr. T. P. Wynkoop, Lt. H. R. Williams.

Civil Engineer Corps

Rear Adm. F. T. Chambers, Capt. C. D. Thurber, Comdr. G. Church, Lt. Comdr. H. S. Bear, Lt. B. F. Fink.

USMC PROMOTION STATUS

Jan. 17, 1930

Last commissioned. Will make number in grade indicated on next vacancy.

Col. J. T. Buttrick 1st Lt. L. S. Creswell Lt. Col. T. D. Barber Capt. H. B. Liversedge Maj. A. W. Jacobsen Maj. G. D. Miller Capt. C. F. Mear Lt. Col. A. B. Drum 1st Lt. G. H. Bellinger, Jr. Col. E. B. Miller

CORPS AREA

FIRST CORPS AREA

Headquarters, Boston, Mass. MAJ. GEN. PRESTON BROWN, MAJ. GEN. J. H. Hughes, Ch. of Staff.

The following officers will proceed to the Army Base, Boston, Mass., Jan. 21, on temporary duty for the purpose of analyzing and coordinating the details of camp preparation and operation at this station, and upon completion thereof, return to their proper stations:

Capt. E. J. Riordan, QMC, Ft. H. G. Wright, New York; Capt. H. C. Snyder, QMC, Camp Devens, Mass.; Maj. G. H. Steel, QMC, Fort Adams, R. I.; Capt. J. M. Rhodes, QMC, Ft. Ethan Allen, Vt.; Capt. S. H. Baker, QMC, Portland Harbor, Ft. Williams, Maine.

Lt. Col. J. B. Taylor, 52d CA, Ft. Eustis, Va.; Capt. A. M. Lawrence, 52d CA, Ft. Eustis, Va.; 1st Lt. O. D. Bowman, 10th CA, Ft. Adams, R. I.; 1st Lt. J. L. Goff, 16th CA, Ft. Monroe, Va.; 2nd Lt. F. T. Ottenberg, 51st CA, Ft. Eustis, Va.; 2nd Lt. D. H. Smith, 52d CA, Ft. Eustis, Va. (Jan. 14.)

Capt. D. M. Griggs, from assignment to 61st CA, Ft. Monroe, Va., on completion of pres. course of instruction at CA Sch., assigned to 69th CA, Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md. (Jan. 14.)

1st Lt. J. F. Simmons from assignment to 61st CA, Ft. Monroe, Va., on completion of course at CA Sch., assigned to 12th CA, that station. (Jan. 14.)

Capt. M. Bottoms, from assignment to 61st FA, Ft. Monroe, Va., assigned to 12th CA, Ft. Monroe, Va. (Jan. 14.)

INFANTRY

MAJ. GEN. S. O. FUQUA, C. OF INF. Capt. E. C. Atkinson from assignment to 29th Inf., for further study at Ft. Benning, Ga., on expiration of pres. leave of absence, assigned to 18th Inf., leave of absence, assigned to 18th Inf., 2nd Lt. M. Moses, detailed in AC, Mar. 1, from assignment to 38th Inf., Ft. Sill, Okla., to Brooks Fld., Tex., for duty and training at AC Primary Flying Sch. (Jan. 11.)

2nd Lt. J. O. Williams detailed in AC, from assignment to 17th Inf., Ft. Crook, Nebr., to Brooks Fld., Tex., for duty and training at AC Primary Flying Sch. (Jan. 13.)

1st Lt. J. A. Bruckner, Jr., from further observation and treatment at Walter Reed Gen. Hosp. AMC, Wash., D. C., to proper station, Ft. Jay, N. Y. (Jan. 14.)

Maj. C. H. Bonesteel to Army & Navy Gen. Hosp., Hot. Spgs., Ark., for observation and treatment. (Jan. 14.)

Capt. B. Castle, from observation and treatment at Walter Reed Gen. Hosp. AMC, Wash., D. C., to Ft. Thomas, Ky. (Jan. 14.)

AIR CORPS

MAJ. GEN. J. E. FECHET, C. OF AC. Col. C. H. Danforth from duty at Selfridge Fld., Mich., June 30, to Wash., D. C., for duty in office of C. of S. (Jan. 10.)

Capt. A. B. McDaniel from duty at AC training center, Duncan Fld., San Antonio, Tex., to Wash., D. C., for duty in office of C. of AC. (Jan. 11.)

Capt. A. F. Herold detailed as instr. AC, Mo. NG, St. Louis, Mo. (Jan. 13.) Following to March Fld., Calif., for duty on completion of pres. tour of foreign service:

1st Lt. J. P. Bailly, 1st Lt. R. B. Williams.

1st Lt. H. R. Wells from duty at material div., Wright Fld., O., on completion. (Please turn to next Page)

NAVY ORDERS

January 9.

Comdr. H. R. Keller, det. USS Trenton after June 1; to Nav. Trng. Sta., Great Lakes, Ill.

Lt. J. L. Reynolds, det. USS Panay; to USS Oahu.

Lt. S. S. Reynolds, det. USS Moody; to USS Trever.

Lt. (jg) D. C. Varian, and Ensigns O. W. Anderson, T. O. Dahl, W. A. Deam, H. J. Dyson, G. K. Fraser, L. J. Geiger, B. E. Moore, Jr., M. A. Nation, H. C. Owen, R. S. Quackenbush, Jr., C. Shands, and W. T. Stukey, det. Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, Fla. about Jan. 18; to Air Sqds., B. F.

Ens. F. C. B. McCune, det. Nav. Air Sta., Lakehurst, N. J., about Jan. 11; to resignation accepted effective March 9, 1930.

Lt. (jg) G. S. Campbell (MC), det. Nav. Med. School, Washington, D. C.; to Nav. Hosp., Washington, D. C.

Comdr. M. W. Mangold (DC), det. Rec. Ship, N. Y. about Feb. 17; to Navy Yard, New York, N. Y.

Comdr. A. N. Park, Jr. (CHC), det. 11th Nav. Dist., San Diego, Calif. about Jan. 24; to USS Tennessee.

Ch. Mach. H. W. Price, det. USS New York about Dec. 27; to connection USS Chester.

January 10.

Lt. Comdr. P. W. Fletcher, det. command USS Hull; to command USS Chandler.

Lt. Comdr. L. R. Gray, det. command USS Melvin; to command USS Alden.

Lt. Comdr. R. E. Keating, det. USS Hull; to USS Chandler.

Lt. Comdr. E. H. Quinlan, det. command USS McCawley; to command USS Perry.

Lt. Comdr. T. Shelley, det. USS Mul-lany; to USS Lea.

Lt. Comdr. I. C. Sowell, det. command USS Henshaw; to command USS Wasmuth.

Lt. F. V. Barker, det. USS Melvin; to USS Alden.

Lt. G. B. Carter, det. USS Henshaw; to USS Wasmuth.

Lt. L. P. Padgett, Jr., det. USS McCawley; to USS Perry.

Lt. F. N. Sayre, det. USS Marcus; to USS Talbot.

Lt. (jg) F. L. Black (det. USS Marcus; to USS Talbot.

Lt. (jg) R. S. Carr, det. USS Marcus; to USS Talbot.

Lts. (jg) J. S. Chitwood and L. E. Coley, det. USS Melvin; to USS Alden.

Lts. (jg) R. E. Cronin and W. E. Lin-aweaver, det. USS Hull; to USS Chandler.

Lts. (jg) W. P. McGirr and L. R. Miller, det. USS Moody; to USS Trever.

Lt. (jg) J. Shoemaker, det. USS Marcus; to USS Talbot.

Lts. (jg) J. N. Shofner and F. E. Shoup, det. USS McCawley; to USS Perry.

Lts. (jg) B. F. Tompkins and W. A. Wright, det. USS Melvin; to USS Alden.

Lt. (jg) G. D. Zurmuehlen, det. USS Moody; to USS Trever.

Ens. J. W. Cooper, det. USS McCawley; to USS Perry.

Ens. P. B. Tankard, det. Nav. Sta., Key West, Fla. about Jan. 13; to resignation accepted effect Feb. 12, 1930. Ors. Jan. 2, 1930, cancelled.

Comdr. C. M. George (MC), det. USS California; to Navy Yard, Mare Island, Calif.

Comdr. Miles Augustus Libbey, USN, died Jan. 7, 1930, at Nav. Hosp., Washington, D. C.

January 11

Capt. R. P. McCullough, det. command USS Arctic about Feb. 11; to duty with Bd. of Insnpt. & Survey, Pac. Coast Sect. San Francisco, Calif.

Comdr. A. M. R. Allen, det. command USS Stoddert about June 1; to Nav. War College, Newport, R. I.

Comdr. Joseph Baer, det. Nav. Trng. Sta., Great Lakes, Ill., about June 1; to Nav. War College, Newport, R. I.

Comdr. G. C. Barnes, det. USS Vestal about June 1; to Nav. War College, Newport, R. I.

Comdr. C. L. Best, det. command USS Reno; to USS Badger, as C. O.

Comdr. A. W. Brown, det. USS Maryland about June 1; to Nav. War College, Newport, R. I.

Comdr. Joel W. Bunkley, det. command USS Wood; to command USS Greer.

Comdr. J. W. Bunkley, det. command USS Greer about June 1; to Nav. War College, Newport, R. I.

Comdr. S. W. Cake, det. USS Nevada about June 1; to Nav. War College, Newport, R. I.

Comdr. F. T. Chew, det. command Subm. Div. 11 about June 1; to Nav. War College, Newport, R. I.

Comdr. A. D. Denney, det. aide on staff, Setg. Flt., about June 1; to Nav. War College, Newport, R. I.

Comdr. A. S. Dysart, det. USS Camden about June 1; to Nav. War College, Newport, R. I.

Comdr. R. F. Freilisen, det. Navy Yard, Phila., Pa., about June 1; to Nav. War College, Newport, R. I.

Comdr. S. O. Greig, det. command USS Hovey about June 1; to Nav. War College, Newport, R. I.

Comdr. D. I. Hedrick, det. command USS Marcus; to command USS Talbot.

Comdr. R. B. Horner, det. Bu. Nav. about June 1; to Nav. War College, Newport, R. I.

Comdr. W. T. Mallison, det. aide to

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tion of tour of foreign service. (Jan. 13.)
2nd Lt. M. M. Murphy from duty at Pope Fld., Ft. Bragg, N. C., to N. Y. C., and sail May 7, for Philippine Dept. for duty with AC. (Jan. 13.)

1st Lt. J. M. Bevans from duty at March Fld., Calif., to S. F., Calif., and sail May 24, for Panama Canal Dept. for duty with AC. (Jan. 13.)

Following from duty indicated to N. Y. C., and sail June 18, for Panama Canal Dept. for duty with AC:

2nd Lts. C. A. Harrington, Selfridge Fld., Mich.; M. M. Towner, Brooks Fld., Tex. (Jan. 13.)

2nd Lts. S. R. Harris, Jr., from duty at Brooks Fld., Tex., to Wright Fld., O., for duty in materiel div. (Jan. 13.)

2nd Lt. J. L. Hitchings from duty at AC Primary Flying Sch., Brooks Fld., Tex., to Chanute Fld., Ill., for duty. (Jan. 13.)

2nd Lt. S. E. Prudhomme from duty at Kelly Fld., Tex., to Wright Fld., O., for duty in materiel div. (Jan. 13.)

Order amended to read 1st Lt. R. H. Cooper to duty with 315th Observation Sqd. (Jan. 14.)

PHILIPPINE SCOUTS

Maj. R. A. Gillmore on own application retired from active service after more than 30 years' service. (Jan. 10.)

LEAVES

Two months, June 10, to Maj. E. H. Gist, MC. (Jan. 10.)

Two months, Apr. 29, to Capt. N. H. Cobbs, FD. (Jan. 10.)

Twenty-one days, Jan. 28, to Maj. R. L. Spragins, Inf. (Jan. 10.)

Two months, 23 days, on arrival in N. Y. C., to Wrt. Offr. W. J. McCartney, ch. engr., AMPS. (Jan. 10.)

Four months, Apr. 15, with permission to visit foreign countries to Capt. G. R. Holt, QMC. (Jan. 11.)

Three months, May 1, with permission to visit foreign countries, to Maj. C. V. Simpson, SC. (Jan. 11.)

Extension 12 days to 2nd Lt. J. H. Gilbreth, Inf. (Jan. 11.)

Twelve days, Feb. 26, to Capt. A. A. Fall, Inf. (Jan. 13.)

Two months, Jan. 22, to Lt. Col. W. O. Boswell, Inf. (Jan. 13.)

Three months, on account of sickness, Jan. 13, to Lt. Col. F. W. Griffin, FA. (Jan. 13.)

Two months, on account of sickness, Jan. 15, to Col. A. Murray, MD. (Jan. 14.)

Three months, on account of sickness, Jan. 15, to Col. M. N. Falls, Inf. (Jan. 14.)

One month, 10 days, May 1, to Capt. R. N. Hagerty, Inf. (Jan. 14.)

Extension 4 days to Capt. R. W. Propst AC. (Jan. 14.)

Ten days, Jan. 14, to 1st Lt. C. B. Ferenbaugh, Inf. (Jan. 14.)

BOARD

Board of the following is appointed to meet at Ft. Francis E. Warren, Wyo., to examine applicants for commission in the Medical Dept., Regular Army:

Col. J. M. Ciffin, MC, Maj. H. E. Hearn, MC, Maj. L. E. J. Browne, MC (Jan. 14.)

Board of the following is appointed to meet at Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., to examine applicants for commission in the MD, Regular Army:

Col. R. Brooke, MC, Lt. Col. W. S. Shields, MC, Maj. E. F. Thode, MC. (Jan. 14.)

WARRANT OFFICERS

Wrt. Offr. J. F. Wallace from duties with the gm, Ft. McDowell, Calif., to S. F., Calif., and sail May 29, for P. I., for duty with QMC. (Jan. 11.)

Wrt. Offr. P. J. Sullivan from duties at hqrs. 9th C. A., Pres. of S. F. Calif., and sail from S. F. May 29 for P. I., for duty. (Jan. 11.)

Wrt. Offr. J. Wilson, PD, assigned to duty hqrs. 9th C. A., Pres. of S. F. Calif., on completion of pres. tour of foreign service. (Jan. 11.)

Wrt. Offr. G. H. Gleitsman, PD, assigned duty hqrs. 7th C. A., Omaha, Neb., on completion of pres. tour of foreign service. (Jan. 11.)

Order assigning Wrt. Offr. J. F. Downs, PD, to Ft. McDowell, Calif., revoked. (Jan. 11.)

Wrt. Offr. H. G. Rupp from assignment to hqrs. 9th C. A., Jan. 15, to home and await retirement. (Jan. 11.)

Wrt. Offr. M. D. Applemann retired from active service Jan. 11. (Jan. 11.)

Order amended to read Wrt. Offr. P. J. McGreevey, mstr. AMPS, to duty with harbor defenses, Sandy Hook, Ft. Hancock, N. J. (Jan. 11.)

Order amended to read Wrt. Offr. N. E. Smith, mstr., AMPS, to harbor defenses of Chesapeake Bay, Ft. Monroe, Va. (Jan. 11.)

Wrt. Offr. J. K. Fairless from duties at hqrs. 7th CA, Omaha, Neb., to S. F., Calif. and sail May 29 for P. I. for duty. (Jan. 11.)

Wrt. Offr. E. Marech, PD, assigned to duty at hqrs. 5th CA, Ft. Hayes, O., on completion of pres. tour of foreign service. (Jan. 11.)

Wrt. Offr. W. H. Anderson from duties at hqrs. 5th CA, Ft. Hayes, O., to N. Y. C. and sail May 7, for P. I. for duty. (Jan. 11.)

Wrt. Offr. F. Stubbs, PD, to duty with gm, Ft. McDowell, Calif., on completion of pres. tour of foreign service. (Jan. 11.)

Wrt. Offr. A. B. C. Deppe to duty at Curtis Bay Ord. Dept., Curtis Bay, Md. (Jan. 13.)

RETIREMENT OF ENLISTED MEN

Tech. Sgt. J. O'Brien at Fitzsimons

Gen. Hosp., Denver, Colo. (Jan. 10)
1st Sgt. P. H. Joyner, Co. C, 1st Engrs., at Ft. DuPont, Del. (Jan. 11)

1st Sgt. W. M. Mangum, Bty. A, 62d CA (AA) at Ft. Totten, N. Y. (Jan. 11)
1st Sgt. J. Whittren, 30th Ord. Co. at Ft. Geo. G. Meade, Md. (Jan. 11)

Mstr. Sgt. R. Sisemore at Ft. DuPont, Del. (Jan. 11)

Tech. Sgt. A. R. Dooley, band, 14th CA, at Ft. Worden, Wash. (Jan. 13)

Staff Sgt. J. Perry, Hdqrs. Bty. & Combat Train, 1st Bn., 16th FA, at Ft. Myer, Va. (Jan. 14)

Mstr. Sgt. C. B. Murphy, 6th Signal Service Co., SC, at Ft. Sheridan, Ill. (Jan. 14)

ORDERS TO NCO

St. Sgt. R. M. St. Clair, Div. Post Finance Office, from Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., to Wash., D. C., at stud. in class in Finance Sch. (Jan. 11)

ORGANIZED RESERVES

Capt. R. H. Alton, CE-Res., to active duty, Jan. 19, to Wash., D. C., to C. of E. for training. (Jan. 10)

Capt. W. E. Robinson, CE-Res., to active duty, to Pittsburgh, Pa., for training with Pittsburgh engr. procurement dist. (Jan. 10)

Maj. G. K. Hobbs, Inf-Res., to active duty, Jan. 15, detailed as addl. member of the War Dept. GS, to Wash., D. C., and report to Ch. of Staff for duty. (Jan. 11)

Capt. H. C. R. Stewart, QM-Res. to active duty, Feb. 2, to Jeffersonville, Ind. for training at QM depot. (Jan. 13)

Capt. J. L. Lee, Inf-Res., to active duty, Feb. 18, to Ft. Benning, Ga. for purpose of pursuing course of instruction at Inf. Sch. (Jan. 14)

LATE WAR DEPARTMENT ORDERS

The following orders were received too late for classification:

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Adjutant General's Dept.

Order amended to assign Lt. Col. R. P. Palmer to duty at hqrs. 2d Div., Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., on completion of pres. tour of foreign service.

Quartermaster Corps

1st Lt. C. R. Hutchins, in addition to other duties, detailed for duty with OR, 3rd C. A., 427th Bn., May 1.

Medical Corps

Col. J. B. Huggins from duty with N. Y. Gen. Depot, from addl. duty with 2d C. A. Laboratory, Bklyn., N. Y., Mar. 1, to Wash., D. C., for duty in office of SG

Following to duty as indicated on completion of pres. tour of foreign service:

Maj. C. B. Callard, Ft. Omaha, Neb.; E. H. Gist, Ft. Humphreys, Va.; Capt. P. L. More, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

Maj. R. L. Holt from duty at Army Medical Sch., AMC, Wash., D. C., to N. Y. C. and sail May 7 for Philippines Dept. for duty with MD research board.

Maj. W. E. McCormack from duty with recruiting, Okla. City, Okla., to S. F., Calif., and sail May 29 for Philippine Dept., for duty.

Following from duty indicated to S. F., Calif., and sail May 29 for Philippine Dept., for duty:

Maj. J. S. Craig, Fitzsimons Gen. Hosp., Denver, Colo.; J. W. Duckworth, Ft. Douglas, Utah; R. L. Tebbitt, Ft. Logan, Colo.; Capt. H. W. Glatly, Letterman Gen. Hosp., Pres. of S. F., Calif.

Following to station indicated for duty on completion of pres. tour of foreign service:

Maj. J. Dibble, Ft. Sheridan, Ill.; J. S. Simmons, Army Med. Sch., AMC, Wash., D. C.; Capt. M. M. Green, Fitzsimons Gen. Hosp., Denver Colo.; M. E. Griffin, Letterman Gen. Hosp., Pres. of S. F., Calif.; W. E. Shambora, Carlisle Bks., Pa.; A. B. Welsh Carlisle Bks., Pa.

Capt. T. W. E. Christmas from duty at Ft. Lewis, Wash. to S. F., Calif., and sail May 24, for Panama Canal Dept., for duty.

Following from duty at station indicated, to N. Y. C., and sail June 12 for Panama Canal Dept., for duty:

Maj. W. M. Crandall, Ft. Des Moines Ia.; E. B. Maynard, Ft. Snelling, Minn.

Maj. G. W. Rogers to Ft. D. A. Russell, Tex., for duty on completion of pres. tour of foreign service.

Following from duty at station indicated to S. F., Calif., and sail June 19 for Hawaiian Dept. for duty.

Capt. R. F. Bradish, Letterman Gen. Hosp., Pres. of S. F., Calif.; J. P. Gill, Jr., Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.; E. C. Sorensen, Letterman Gen. Hosp., Pres. of S. F., Calif.

Dental Corps

Following to duty at station indicated on completion of pres. tour of foreign service:

Maj. O. J. Christiansen, Ft. Douglas Utah; J. J. Weeks, Gen. Disp., USA Wash., D. C.

Maj. D. J. Denholm from duty at Ft. Omaha, Neb., to S. F., Calif., and sail June 19 for Hawaiian Dept.

Maj. R. L. Bodine, in add. to other duties, to Gen. Disp., USA, Wash., D. C., for duty.

Maj. W. L. Reesman to Ft. Bliss, Tex., May 26, for duty, in add. to other duties.

Capt. W. E. Sankey for duty at Ft. Benning, Ga., to N. Y. C., and sail May 28, for Hawaiian Dept., for duty.

Veterinary Corps

Retirement of Col. W. R. Pick from active service, Jan. 15, announced.

Ordnance Department

Maj. J. B. Rose from duty at Watertown Arsenal, Mass., Apr. 1, to Picatinny Arsenal, Dover, N. J. and assume command.

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Comdt., 6th Nav. Dist., Charleston, S. C. about June 1; to Nav. War College, Newport, R. I.

Comdr. F. D. Manock, det. command USS Mullany; to command USS Lea.

Comdr. J. F. McClain, det. command USS La Vallette; to command USS Yarnall.

Comdr. W. R. Smith, Jr., det. USS Concord about June 1; to Nav. War College, Newport, R. I.

Comdr. H. E. Welte, det. USS Medusa about June 1; to Nav. War College, Newport, R. I.

Lt. Comdr. T. L. Catch, det. command USS Percival; to command USS Wickes.

Lt. Comdr. G. H. Fort, det. command USS Paul Hamilton; to command USS Hamilton.

Lt. Comdr. J. W. Gates, det. command USS Kidder; to USS Roper.

Lt. Comdr. W. Perkins, det. command USS Kennedy; to command USS Jacob Jones.

Lt. Comdr. W. D. Meek, det. command USS J. F. Burnes; to command USS Philip.

Lt. Comdr. C. Ridgely, det. command USS Marvine; to command USS Waters.

Lt. Comdr. G. L. Weyler, det. command USS Moody; to command USS Trever.

Lt. M. A. Anderson, det. USS Paul Hamilton; to USS Hamilton.

Lt. A. De L. Ayrault, Jr., det. USS Marvine; to USS Waters.

Lt. N. L. Damon, det. Navy Yard, Portsmouth, N. H.; to connection USS V-5.

Lt. J. F. Grube, det. USS Kidder; to USS Roper.

Lt. B. L. Hailey, det. USS Percival; to USS Wickes.

Lt. H. S. Nielson, det. USS Reno; to USS Badger.

Lt. C. E. Olsen, det. USS J. F. Burnes; to USS Philip.

Lt. H. D. Power, det. USS Kennedy; to USS Jacob Jones.

Lt. J. T. Talber, det. USS La Vallette; to USS Yarnall.

Lt. (jg) R. L. Adams, det. USS Stoddard; to USS Tattall.

Lt. (jg) J. F. Addoms, det. USS Marvine; to USS Waters.

Lt. (jg) F. H. Ball, det. USS Henshaw; to USS Wasmuth.

Lt. (jg) H. D. Batterton, det. USS Stoddard; to USS Tattall.

Lt. (jg) W. G. Beecher, det. USS Kidder; to USS Roper.

Lt. (jg) J. L. Bird, det. USS La Vallette; to USS Yarnall.

Lt. (jg) B. F. Brown, det. USS Reno; to USS Badger.

Lt. (jg) V. B. Burchett, det. USS La Vallette; to USS Yarnall.

Lt. (jg) S. E. Bush, det. USS Kennedy; to USS Jacob Jones.

Lt. (jg) G. G. Crissman, det. USS Mullany; to USS Lea.

Lt. (jg) B. L. Doggett, det. USS Mullany; to USS Lea.

Lt. (jg) J. M. Duke, det. USS Kidder; to USS Roper.

Lt. (jg) C. A. Fines, det. USS J. F. Burnes; to USS Philip.

Lt. (jg) P. H. Jenkins; det. USS Reno; to USS Badger.

Lt. (jg) J. C. Landstreet, det. USS Kennedy; to USS Jacob Jones.

Lt. (jg) T. R. Langley, det. USS Marcus; to USS Talbot.

Lt. (jg) Francis W. Laurant, det. USS Kennedy; to USS Jacob Jones.

Lt. (jg) J. F. Mallach, det. USS Mullany; to USS Lea.

Lt. (jg) I. H. Nunn, det. USS Sloat; to USS Upshur.

Lt. (jg) W. G. Pogue, det. USS J. F. Burnes; to USS Philip.

Lt. (jg) A. L. Rorschach, det. USS Reno; to USS Badger.

Lt. (jg) M. D. Sylvester, det. USS Henshaw; to USS Wasmuth.

Lt. (jg) C. H. Taeker, det. USS J. F. Burnes; to USS Philip.

Lt. (jg) D. M. Tyree, det. USS Henshaw; to USS Wasmuth.

Sns. H. J. Armstrong, det. USS Henshaw; to USS Wasmuth.

Sns. J. F. Henkel, det. USS Marvine; to USS Waters.

Sns. J. J. Holloway, Jr., det. USS Reno; to USS Badger.

Sns. P. K. Jeanes, det. USS Somers; to USS Buchanan.

Sns. C. F. Johnson, det. USS Stoddard; to USS Tattall.

Sns. T. C. King, to duty USS Memphis

Sns. W. Loveland, det. USS Marvine; to USS Waters.

Sns. E. L. Luginbuhl, det. USS Somers; to USS Buchanan.

Sns. W. L. Knickerbocker, det. USS Mullany; to USS Lea.

Sns. K. A. Knowles, det. USS Hull; to USS Chandler.

Sns. J. R. McCormick, det. USS Kidder; to USS Roper.

Sns. H. M. Neuhaus, det. USS J. F. Burnes; to USS Philip.

Sns. R. H. Phillips, det. USS Reno; to USS Badger.

Sns. J. A. Prichard, det. USS Hull; to USS Chandler.

Sns. J. R. Simpson, det. USS Stoddard; to USS Tattall.

Sns. W. A. Sutherland, Jr., det. USS Kidder; to USS Roper.

Sns. B. Van Mater, det. USS Stoddard; to USS Tattall.

Sns. P. K. Wells, det. USS Kennedy; to USS Jacob Jones.

Lt. Comdr. W. W. Davies (MC), to duty involving flying Air. Sqds., Sgt. Flt.

Lt. (jg) G. G. Boyd (MC), det. from all duty about Jan. 15; to resignation accepted effective Feb. 20, 1930.

Ch. Pharm. Benjamin E. Irwin, det.

Rec. Ship, San Francisco, about Jan. 25; to Navy Yard, Mare Island, Calif.

January 13

Comdr. A. S. Rees, det. Bd. of Insptn. & Survey, Pac. Coast Sect., San Francisco, Calif., about Feb. 6; to command USS Arctic.

Lt. Comdr. J. P. Compton, det. Subm. Div. 20, Battle Flt.; to duty with the U. S. Naval Mission to Peru.

Lt. Comdr. R. S. Haggart, det. USS Oklahoma, about Feb. 10; to duty in the Office of Asst. Sec'y. of the Navy, Navy Dept.

Lt. Comdr. R. F. Hans, det. Navy Yard, New York, N. Y., about Jan. 30; to USS Oklahoma.

Lt. (jg) F. X. Carmody, det. USS Shirik; to USS Elliott.

Lts. A. D. Chandler, P. S. Creaser, det. USS Shirik; to USS Elliott.

Lt. (jg) K. V. Dawson, det. Robert Smith; to USS Dorsey.

Lt. (jg) G. F. Dufek, det. 11th Nav. Dist., San Diego, Cal.; to connection USS V-6.

Lt. (jg) F. L. Durnell, det. USS Selfridge; to USS Rathburne.

Lt. (jg) L. E. French, det. USS Preble about Jan. 15; to temp. duty Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, Fla.

Lt. (jg) D. G. Greenlee, det. USS Percival; to USS Wickes.

Lt. (jg) W. E. Guitart, det. Rec. Ship, New York, N. Y., about Jan. 15; to Naval Academy.

Lt. (jg) J. R. Hanna, det. USS Shirik; to USS Elliott.

Lt. (jg) P. W. Hord, det. USS Selfridge; to USS Rathburne.

Lt. (jg) M. L. Kelly, det. USS Shirik; to USS Elliott.

Lt. (jg) G. J. King, det. USS Somers; to USS Buchanan.

Lt. (jg) J. B. Ricketts, Jr., ors. Jan. 2 revoked; to continue duty USS Maryland.

Lt. (jg) J. R. Rubenberger, det. USS Robert Smith; to USS Dorsey.

Lt. (jg) W. L. Turney, det. USS Robert Smith; to USS Dorsey.

Lt. (jg) J. W. Wells, det. USS Selfridge; to USS Rathburne.

Lt. (jg) W. J. Whipple, 2nd, det. USS Sloat about Jan. 14; to USS Preble

What Price Food?

THE quality of food being given to the Army and whether or not the present provision of 50 cents a day per man is sufficient gave rise to an interesting colloquy in the House of Representatives in the course of the debate on the War Department Appropriations bill.

Taking part in the debate were Representatives Albert Johnson, of Washington, Representative Barbour, chairman of the sub-committee on War Department appropriations; Representative James, chairman of the House Military Affairs committee, and Representative LaGuardia.

Portions of it follow:

Mr. Johnson of Washington: I venture the assertion that if I introduced a bill to-night to make the Army ration 53 cents a day, I believe that such a bill in all likelihood would be sent down to the Bureau of the Budget to see if it interfered with the President's program, and it would come back disapproved by the Budget Bureau. It would then have a hard time to get out of committee to this floor.

Mr. James: Will the gentleman yield?

Mr. Johnson: Yes; certainly.

Mr. James: Twice the House has passed a new ration bill and twice it has died in the Senate, and now it has been reintroduced in the House.

Mr. Johnson: Good. And in the meantime the soldier eats three times a day, whatever is mixed up in the mess kit.

Mr. James: I do not agree with the gentleman about that.

Mr. Johnson: I am talking about the enlisted man. I have eaten some of their meals.

Mr. Barbour: I have been eating some of them, too.

Mr. Johnson: They knew the gentleman was coming. They did not know I was coming, and I got stewed beef, watery potatoes, and aged canned peas all dished up together with greasy gravy on the side. Of course, they have lots of better meals than that—or most of them would run away.

Mr. Chairman, I wanted to say something about the pay of the lieutenants and the hump, but shall reserve my statements until we reach another paragraph.

The Chairman. The time of the gentleman from Washington has expired.

Mr. LaGuardia: Mr. Chairman, I rise in opposition to the proforma amendment.

Mr. Chairman, I take a great many shots at this bill and I intend to continue to do so as we proceed with its reading, but in this instance I want to say that the gentleman from Washington (Mr. Johnson) is considerably in error. We went through this question of rations not very long ago, and the amount asked by the department was granted by Congress. This is a matter of law, and I will say that any company with proper company management with the allowance that we grant for food, with the overhead they have, not having to pay for service or for rent or for light, that the soldiers of the United States Army, where the company fund is properly managed, can eat better than the average member of Congress.

Mr. Johnson: I will ask the gentleman, if we get an increased tariff of 4 cents on tomato paste, will that affect the Army ration?

Mr. LaGuardia: That is another question. When we raise the tariff, then, perhaps, we will have to raise the allowance for the Army, and in New York we will have to raise wages, because we have to eat; but let us not get into a tariff discussion just now.

I keep track of these things, and if there is anyone who likes to criticize this bill and the War Department, it is the gentleman who now has the floor, but I want to say, in all fairness, that we have been most generous with the food allowance, and I repeat that where there is proper management in any garrison, the United States soldier is the best-fed human being in the world. (Applause.)

Mr. Johnson: Oh, no one disputes that the United States Army is better fed than the armies of other nations of the world, and still that "best" can be bettered.

Mr. James: Mr. Chairman, I move to strike out the last word.

Mr. Chairman, I dislike to disagree with the gentleman from Washington (Mr. Johnson), but I have visited practically every Army post in the United States at least once as well as

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BATTLE FLEET

Adm. L. M. Nulton, Commander in Chief, California (flagship), San Pedro, Calif.

Battleship Divisions.

Vice Adm. L. A. Bostwick, Commander. Division 4—Mississippi, Navy Yard, Bremerton, Wash.; Idaho, New Mexico, San Pedro, Calif.

Division 5—West Virginia, Colorado, San Pedro, Calif.; Maryland, Bremerton, Wash.; Tennessee, San Pedro, Calif.

Destroyer Squadrons

Rear Adm. Thomas J. Senn, Commander. Rigel, San Diego; Omaha, San Diego, Calif.

Squadron 11—Decatur (leader), San Diego; Melville, San Diego, Calif.

Division 30—McCawley, San Diego; Moody, Doyen, Henshaw, San Diego, Calif.

Division 31—J. F. Burnes, Wm. Jones, Somers, Percival, Ziellin, San Diego, Calif.; Farragut, San Diego.

Division 32—Thompson, Stoddert, Parquhar, Paul Hamilton, Reno, San Diego, Calif.; Kennedy, San Diego.

Squadron 12—Litchfield (leader), San Diego; Altair (tender), San Diego, Calif.

Division 34—Wood, Sloat, Yarrowborough, Shirk, La Vauette, Kidder, San Diego.

Division 35—Mullany, Robert Smith, Mervine, Marcus, Chase, Selfridge, San Diego.

Division 36—Southard, Mare Island; Farenholt, Sumner, Corry, San Diego; Hull, San Diego; Melvin, San Diego.

Division 45—Pruitt, Sicard, Preble, San Diego; Noa, San Diego; Wm. B. Preston, Hulbert, Mare Island.

Aircraft Squadrons.

Rear Adm. H. V. Butler, Commander. Saratoga (flagship), Coronado Roads; Lexington, Tacoma, Wash.; Arctostook, San Diego, Calif.; Gannett, Mare Island; Langley, Navy Yard, Bremerton, Wash.

Submarine Divisions.

Rear Admiral T. C. Hart, Commander. Holland (flagship and tender), San Diego; Ortolan (tender), San Diego.

Division 11—S-26, Mare Island; S-24, S-29, S-25, S-27, San Diego.

Division 19—S-45, S-46, S-42, S-43, S-44, S-47, San Diego.

Division 20—Argonne (tender), San Diego; V-3, V-4, Mare Island; V-2, V-1, San Diego to sea.

Submarines Based on Pearl Harbor.

Seagull (tender), Widgeon (tender), Pearl Harbor, T. H.

Division 9—R-1, R-2, R-3, R-4, R-5, R-6, R-7, R-8, R-9, R-10, Pearl Harbor, T. H.

Division 14—R-11, R-12, R-13, R-14, R-15, R-16, R-17, R-18, R-19, R-20, Pearl Harbor, T. H.

BASE FORCE

Rear Adm. T. P. Magruder, Commander. Procyon, San Pedro, Calif.

Mine Squadron 2—Whippoorwill, Pearl Harbor, T. H.; Burns, Ludlow, San Diego, Calif.; Tanager, San Diego, Calif.

Train Squadron 1—Antares, Guantanamo Bay; Bridge, to Guantanamo Bay; Brazos, Port Arthur, Texas; Vestal, to land; Neches, Guantanamo Bay.

Train Squadron Two—Relief, Mare Island; Neches, Pearl Harbor to San Diego; Cuyama, Pearl Harbor to San Pedro; Arctic, Mare Island; Medusa, San Diego.

SCOUTING FLEET

Vice Adm. W. C. Cole, Commander. Send mail "Care of Postmaster, New York City."

Battleship Divisions.

Division 2—Wyoming, Arkansas, Florida, Utah, Guantanamo Bay, Cuba; Arizona, Navy Yard, Norfolk, Va.; Pennsylvania, Navy Yard, Philadelphia.

Division 3—New York, Nevada, Oklahoma, Guantanamo Bay.

Light Cruiser Divisions.

Rear Adm. Frank H. Clark, Commander. Division 3—Detroit, Cincinnati, Milwaukee, Raleigh, Hampton Roads to Guantanamo Bay.

Division 2—Richmond, Guantanamo Bay; Marblehead, Navy Yard, Norfolk, Va.; Trenton, Memphis, Guantanamo Bay.

Destroyer Squadrons.

Capt. W. R. Sexton, Commander. Concord, Gonaives, Haiti; Con-verse, Philadelphia.

Squadron 9—Dallas, Philadelphia, Pa.; Whitney, Philadelphia, Pa.

Division 25—Case, Breck, Lardner, Toucey, Isherwood, Philadelphia, Pa.; Sharkey, Philadelphia.

Division 26—Putnam, Billingsley, Worden, Flusser, Dale, Reid, Philadelphia, Pa.

Division 27—Osborne, Lamson, Charles Ausburn, Coghlan, Preston, Bruce, Philadelphia, Pa.

Squadron 14—Dobbin (tender), Hopkins, Gonaives, Haiti.

Division 40—Hatfield, Gilmer, Kane, Humphreys, Gonaives, Haiti; Brooks, Lawrence, New York, N. Y.

Division 41—K. Paulding, Childs, Overton, McFarland, Sturtevant, Gonaives, Haiti; King, Navy Yard, Boston. Gonaives, Haiti; Williamson, Sands, Guantanamo Bay; Reuben, James, Navy Yard, Boston.

Aircraft Squadrons.

Capt. John Halligan, Jr., Commander. Wright, Media Luna Cay, Cuba; Teal, Sandpiper, Media Luna Cay.

CONTROL FORCE

Rear Adm. F. B. Upham, Commander. Camden, Coco Solo, C. Z.; Mallard, Coco Solo; S-4, Falcon, New London.

Mine Squadron No. 1—Oglala, Hampton Roads, Va.; Balboa, C. Z.; Maury, Mahan, Philadelphia, Pa.; Quail, Lark, Coco Solo, C. Z.

Submarine Divisions.

Division 2—Chewink, O-4, O-3, O-2, O-6, O-1, New London, Conn.; O-10, O-8, O-7, O-9, Portsmouth, N. H.

Division 3—S-10, S-11, S-12, S-13, S-20, Coco Solo, C. Z.

Division 4—S-18, S-19, S-22, S-21, S-23, S-48, S-1, Coco Solo, C. Z.

Division 12—Bushnell, S-3, S-6, S-7, S-8, S-9, Coco Solo, Canal Zone.

Division 18—S-14, S-15, S-17, Coco Solo, C. Z.; S-16, Balboa, C. Z.

Eagle Division 1—Eagle 35, Eagle 58, Charleston, S. C.

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Adm. Chas. B. McVay, Commander in Chief. Pittsburgh (flagship), Shanghai, China.

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Destroyer Squadron

Paul Jones (flagship), Manila, P. I.; Black Hawk, Manila.

Division 38—John D. Edwards, Whipple, Tracy, Borie, Smith, Thompson, Barker, Subic Bay, P. I.

Division 39—Parrott, Cavite, P. I.; Simpson, Manila, P. I.; Bulmer, Chinkiang; Edsall, Wuhu; McCormick, Nanking, China; McLeish, Swatow, China.

Division 43—Peary, Stewart, Pope, Truxton, Pillsbury, John D. Ford, Olongapo, P. I.

Aircraft Squadron.

Jason, Heron, Avocet, Manila, P. I.

Submarine Division.

Pigeon, Manila, P. I.

Division 16—Beaver (tender), S-32, S-37, S-38, S-39, S-40, S-41, Mariveles, P. I.

Division 17—Canopus (tender), S-36, S-37, S-38, S-39, S-40, S-41, Manila, P. I.

Mine Detachment.

Bittern, Finch, Hart, Rizal, Manila, P. I.

SPECIAL SERVICE SQUADRON

Rear Adm. E. H. Campbell, Commander. Send mail "Care of Postmaster, New York City."

Rochester (flagship), Panama Bay; Galveston, Balboa, C. Z.; Denver, Navy Yard, Boston, Mass.; Sacramento, San Miguel Bay, Panama; Asheville, Cristobal, C. Z.

MISCELLANEOUS

Chaumont, San Diego; to Honolulu; Hannibal, Guantanamo Bay, Cuba; Niagara, Philadelphia; Henderson, at Guam; Kittery, Norfolk, Va.; Nitro, Guantanamo Bay; Nokomis, Key West, Fla.; Patoka, to Beaumont, Texas; Ramapo, San Pedro; Salinas, Hampton Roads; Sapelo, Balboa, C. Z.; Salt Lake City, Philadelphia; Sirius, to Bremerton, Wash.; Vega, Brooklyn.

Cannot Give Away Plates

THE Commander, Destroyer Squadrons, Battle Fleet, requested permission to send the historical data plates of decommissioned destroyers to the next of kin of the persons for whom the destroyers were named.

The Judge Advocate General has decided that the historical data plates, being Government property, could not be so disposed of, and that the plates can only be disposed of in the same manner as other Government property; that is, by advertising, bidding, and sale to the highest bidder.

Ship Standing

STANDING of the highest of the following classes of vessels in the United States Navy in Engineering for the year to December 1, 1929:

Light Cruiser Class: (1) Memphis, (2) Marblehead, (3) Milwaukee, (4) Concord, (5) Trenton, (6) Raleigh, (7) Cincinnati, (8) Richmond, (9) Detroit. Cruiser Class: (1) Langley, (2) Denver, (3) Galveston, (4) Pittsburgh, (5) Rochester.

Marine Corps Orders

January 19.

Brig. Gen. R. H. Dunlap, on Jan. 25, detached Headquarters Marine Corps, Washington, D. C., to MCB, NOB, San Diego, Calif.

Capt. F. B. Geottge, detached MB, Quantico, Va., to Headquarters Marine Corps, Washington, D. C.

Capt. J. A. Mixson, detached MB, Washington, D. C., to Nicaraguan National Guard Detachment, via the SS Colombia scheduled to sail from New York, N. Y., on or about Feb. 6.

Capt. R. C. Thaxton, assigned to duty at MCB, NOB, San Diego, Calif.

Capt. J. W. Webb, on Feb. 1, detached Headquarters Marine Corps, Washington, D. C., to Nicaraguan National Guard Detachment via the SS Colombia scheduled to sail from New York, N. Y., on or about Feb. 6.

1st Lt. S. E. Ridderhof, detached AS, Second Brigade, Nicaragua, to AS, WCEF, NAS, San Diego, Calif., via first available Government conveyance.

Chf. Mar. Gnr. A. D. Ryan, assigned to duty MCB, NOB, San Diego, Calif.

Chf. Pay Clk. L. J. Straight, assigned to duty MB, NYd, Mare Island, Calif.

January 13

Capt. T. T. Taylor, assigned to duty at MB, NS, Cavite, P. I.

Capt. J. F. McVey, detached Second Brigade, Nicaragua, to MD, NP, NYd, Portsmouth, N. H., via the USS Nitro, which sailed from Nicaragua on Jan. 9.

1st Lt. T. H. Cartwright, detached Second Brigade, Nicaragua, to MB, NAS, Lakehurst, N. J., via the USS Nitro which sailed from Nicaragua on Jan. 9.

1st Lt. R. L. Skidmore, detached Second Brigade, Nicaragua, to MB, Washington, D. C., via the USS Nitro which sailed from Nicaragua on Jan. 9.

1st Lts. J. E. Stanners, A. Galt, detached Second Brigade, Nicaragua, to MB, Quantico, Va., via the USS Nitro which sailed from Nicaragua on Jan. 9.

2nd Lt. R. E. Hogaboom, assigned to MCB, NOB, San Diego, Calif.

2nd Lt. D. F. O'Neill, detached MB, Quantico, Va., to NAS, Pensacola, Fla., to report on Jan. 28.

Chf. Mar. Gnr. J. J. Mahoney, detached First Brigade, Haiti, to MB, Parris Island, S. C., via first available Government conveyance.

No changes were announced on January 11.

January 14

Lt. Col. H. O. Smith, detached Second Brigade, Nicaragua, to MB, Norfolk NYd, Portsmouth, Va., for duty and to Naval Hospital, Norfolk, NYd, Portsmouth, Va., for treatment.

Maj. H. L. Larsen, AA&I, detached Second Brigade, Nicaragua, to Headquarters Marine Corps, Washington, D. C., via first available Government conveyance.

Capt. J. C. Grayson, detached MCB, NOB, San Diego, Calif., to Second Brigade, Nicaragua, via Army transport sailing from San Francisco, Calif., on or about February 1st.

1st Lt. J. T. Thornton, detached MCB, NOB, San Diego, Calif., to Second Brigade, Nicaragua, via Army transport sailing from San Francisco, Calif., on or about February 1st.

1st Lt. E. E. Larson, detached MB, NAD, Puget Sound, Washington, to Second Brigade, Nicaragua, via Army transport sailing from San Francisco, Calif., on or about February 1st.

2nd Lt. P. Drake, detached MB, Norfolk NYd, Portsmouth, Va., to First Brigade, Haiti, via the USS Kittery scheduled to sail from Hampton Roads, Va., on or about February 5.

2nd Lt. T. A. Wornham, detached MB, Parris Island, S. C., to First Brigade, Haiti, via the USS Kittery, scheduled to sail from Hampton Roads, Va., on or about Feb. 5.

The following named officers detached Department of the Pacific to stations indicated, via Army transport sailing from San Francisco, Calif., on February 1st to New York, N. Y.:

Capt. J. Kaluf, MB, Quantico, Va.; Chf. Mar. Gnr. R. C. Vardy, MB, Quantico, Va.; 1st Lt. H. C. Bluhm, MB, NAS, Lakehurst, N. J.; 1st Lt. C. Prichard, MB, NYd, New York, N. Y.; 2nd Lt. D. G. Willis, Headquarters Marine Corps, Washington, D. C.

January 16

Capt. G. W. Shearer, detailed as an Assistant Quartermaster.

1st Lt. F. M. Wulbern, detached MB, NAS, San Diego, Calif., to MB, Parris Island, S. C., via the Army transport scheduled to sail from San Francisco, Calif., to New York, N. Y., on or about Feb. 1.

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ton; to USS Hamilton.

Lt. (jg) W. B. Davidson, det. USS Zeilin; to USS Claxton.

Lt. (jg) J. A. Farrell, Jr., det. USS Idaho about Jan. 25; to temp. duty, Nav. Air Sta., San Diego, Calif.

Lt. (jg) W. H. Pickton, det. USS Zeilin; to USS Claxton.

Lt. (jg) D. E. Smith, det. USS Paul Hamilton; to USS Hamilton.

Ens. H. M. Briggs, det. USS Zeilin; to USS Claxton.

Ens. A. G. Bruner, det. USS Paul Hamilton; to USS Hamilton.

Ens. F. B. C. Martin, det. USS Zeilin; to USS Claxton.

Capt. Edward U. Reed (MC), det. USS Relief about Feb. 1; to connection fitting out of Naval Dispensary, San Pedro, Calif.

Lt. Comdr. W. E. Findiesen (MC) Det. Navy Rtg. Sta., New York, N. Y., to Nav. Prov. Grounds, Dahlgren, Va.

Lt. C. M. Dumbauld (MC) det. Navy Yard, Phila., Pa., about Feb. 20; to Nav. Hosp., League Island, Phila., Pa.

Lt. (jg) T. Jackson, Jr., (MC) det. Nav. Med. School, Wash. D. C., to Navy Yard, Phila., Pa.

Lt. F. H. Townner (MC), det. Navy Rtg. Sta., Providence, R. I., about Jan. 14; to continue treatment, Nav. Hosp., Newport, R. I.

Lt. (jg) T. F. Weinert (MC) det. Nav. Med. School, Wash. D. C., about Feb. 15; to Nav. Trng. Sta., Great Lakes, Ill.

Lt. Comdr. W. Gower (SC), det. USS Wyoming about Feb. 1; to Nav. Air Sta., Anacostia, D. C.

Lt. Comdr. A. S. Reid (SC), det. Nav. Hosp., Parris Is., S. C., about Feb. 1; to temp. duty Marine Bks., Parris Is., S. C.

Ch. Pay Clk. F. Traxler, det. USS California; to USS Rigel.

Pay Clk. J. W. Frey, det. USS Medusa about Feb. 1; to Asiatic Station.

Pay Clk. T. C. Wade, desp. ors. Nov. 26 modified. To USS Medusa.

January 15

Comdr. A. M. R. Allen, det. command USS Stoddard; to command USS Tatt-nall.

Comdr. H. A. Orr, det. Insp. of Ord. in Chg., Nav. Ammun. Depot, Mare Is., Cal., about Feb. 7; to command USS Relief.

Comdr. C. T. Osborn, det. 5th Nav. Dist. about April 9; to USS Trenton.

Lt. Comdr. R. A. Awtrey, det. USS Thompson; to USS Babbitt.

Lt. Comdr. W. J. Butler, det. command USS Sumner; to command USS Long.

Lt. Comdr. S. W. Kirtland, det. USS Stoddard; to USS Tatt-nall.

Lt. Comdr. F. S. Low, det. USS New Mexico after May 15; to Nav. Torp. Sta., Newport, R. I.

Lt. Comdr. J. S. Roberts, det. Fifth Nav. Dist., about April 8; to USS New Mexico.

Lt. Comdr. E. M. Senn, det. USS Tennessee about May 22; to Nav. Powder Factory, Indian Head, Md.

Lt. Comdr. R. A. Umsted, det. USS Niagara about March 20; to Naval Academy.

Lt. Comdr. H. L. White, det. USS Lexington about May 15; to Bu. Eng.

Lt. Comdr. G. H. Wood, det. USS Maryland about June 15; to Navy Yard, Puget Sound, Wash.

Lt. Comdr. H. W. Ziroli, det. USS Colorado about May 22; to Naval Academy.

Lt. T. O. Cullins, Jr., det. USS Yarrow; to USS Tarbell.

Lt. R. R. Dennett, det. USS Los Angeles about Jan. 11; to Nav. Air Sta., Lakehurst, N. J.

Lt. E. H. Geiselman, det. Naval Communications after May 1; to USS Hulbert.

Lt. W. Hibbs, det. USS Sloat; to USS Upshur.

Lt. T. M. Leovy, det. USS Sumner; to USS Long.

Lt. W. A. S. Macklin, det. Naval Academy; to USS Asheville.

Lt. J. B. Mallard, det. USS Billingsley; to USS J. Fred Talbott.

Lt. S. E. Peck, det. Nav. Air Sta., Lakehurst, N. J., about Jan. 11; to USS Los Angeles.

Lt. D. W. Roberts, to duty USS Ludlow as exec. officer.

Lt. C. F. Swanson, det. USS Tennessee about May 22; to Nav. Trng. Sta., Hampton Rds., Va.

Lt. J. L. Wyatt, det. USS Wood; to USS Greer.

Lt. (jg) C. H. Anderson, Jr., det. USS Thompson; to USS Babbitt.

Lt. (jg) L. Branneman, det. USS Bruce; to USS Schenck.

Lt. (jg) A. P. Calver, det. USS Thompson; to USS Babbitt.

S. A. M. E. Elects

L. T. COL. E. L. DAILEY was elected president of the Washington Post, Society of American Military Engineers, at its annual meeting and luncheon in the Army and Navy Club this week. Other officers are John B. Gordon, vice president; Lt. Victor Martin, secretary-treasurer; Maj. W. O. Tufts, director, and Maj. D. F. Johns, who continues as a director. The new president is a West Pointer '06, and served in the Philippines, on the Mexican border and in France.

Lt. (jg) C. A. Chappell, det. USS Yarrow; to USS Tarbell.

Lt. (jg) H. Crommelin, det. USS Bruce; to USS Schenck.

Lt. (jg) E. J. Davis, det. USS Case; to USS Dupont.

Lt. (jg) W. A. Dolan, Jr., det. USS Sloat; to USS Upshur.

Lt. (jg) A. D. J. Farrell, det. USS Thompson; to USS Babbitt.

Lts. (jg) W. G. Fisher, W. C. France, det. USS Charles Ausburn; to USS Fairfax.

Lt. (jg) F. H. Gardner, det. Wm. Jones; to USS Aaron Ward.

Lt. (jg) E. S. L. Goodwin, det. USS Yarrow; to USS Tarbell.

Lt. D. C. E. Hamberger, det. USS Sloat; to USS Upshur.

Lt. (jg) W. E. Hank, det. USS Bruce; to USS Schenck.

Lt. (jg) W. A. Hickey, det. USS Wood; to USS Greer.

Lt. (jg) L. S. Howeth, det. USS Billingsley; to USS J. Fred Talbott.

Lt. (jg) J. G. Hughes, Jr., det. USS Billingsley; to USS J. Fred Talbott.

Lt. (jg) D. R. Hull, det. USS Case; to USS Dupont.

Lt. (jg) W. A. Kanakanui, det. USS Burns; to USS Ramsay.

Lt. (j) R. A. Larkin, det. USS Yarrow; to USS Tarbell.

Lt. (jg) J. S. Lillard, det. USS Wood; to USS Greer.

Lt. (jg) A. B. Leggett, det. USS William Jones; to USS Aaron Ward.

Lt. (jg) J. R. Linsley, Jr., det. USS Breck; to USS Biddle.

Lt. (jg) F. Monroe, Jr., det. USS Charles Ausburn; to USS Fairfax.

Lt. (jg) E. R. Perry, det. USS Thompson; to USS Babbitt.

Lt. (jg) K. F. Poehlmann, det. USS Sumner; to USS Long.

Lt. (j) J. B. Robertson, Jr., det. USS Percival; to USS Wickes.

Lt. (jg) J. L. Schwaninger, det. USS Breck; to USS Biddle.

Lt. (j) S. D. Simpson, det. USS Percival; to USS Wickes.

Lt. (jg) G. L. Sims, det. USS Bruce; to USS Schenck.

Lt. (jg) S. P. Smith, det. USS Wood; to USS Greer.

Lt. (jg) R. T. Thornton, det. USS Breck; to USS Biddle.

Lt. (jg) D. J. Tortorich, Jr., det. USS Yarrow; to USS Tarbell.

Lt. (jg) H. G. Trainer, det. USS Breck; to USS Biddle.

Lt. (j) R. B. Vanasse, det. USS Charles Ausburn; to USS Fairfax.

Lt. (jg) M. G. Vangeli, det. USS Niagara; to USS Marblehead.

Lt. (jg) H. P. Webster, det. USS Somers; to USS Buchanan.

Lt. (jg) W. J. Whiteside, det. USS Breck; to USS Biddle.

Lt. (jg) W. S. Whiteside, det. USS Sumner; to USS Long.

Lt. (jg) E. L. Woodyard, det. USS Sumner; to USS Long.

Ens. J. S. Holtwick, Jr., det. USS Case; to USS Dupont.

Ens. L. M. Jensen, det. USS Billingsley; to USS J. Fred Talbott.

Ens. R. R. Kellerman, det. USS La Vallette; to USS Yarnall.

Ens. F. J. Leatherman, det. USS Wood; to USS Greer.

Ens. A. D. Marks, det. USS Billingsley; to USS J. Fred Talbott.

Ens. L. B. Mye, det. USS La Vallette; to USS Yarnall.

Ens. R. E. Palmer, det. USS Sumner; to USS Long.

Ens. K. E. Price, det. USS William Jones; to USS Aaron Ward.

Ens. H. P. Richards, det. USS Sloat; to USS Upshur.

Ens. G. M. Richardson, det. USS Case; to USS Dupont.

Ens. J. C. Riggs, Jr., det. USS Thompson; to USS Babbitt.

Ens. B. N. Rittenhouse, uncompleted portion desp. ors. Dec. 31, revoked. To duty USS Niagara.

Ens. U. S. G. Sharp, Jr., det. USS Sumner; to USS Long.

Ens. M. L. Smith, det. USS Yarrow; to USS Tarbell.

Ens. Charles M. Tooke, det. USS Charles Ausburn; to USS Fairfax.

Ens. F. Virden, det. USS Billingsley; to USS J. Fred Talbott.

Ens. H. J. Ward, det. USS Burns; to USS Ramsay.

Lt. J. Humbert (MC), det. Nav. Hosp., Norfolk, Va., about March 1; to Asiatic Station.

Lt. (jg) J. N. C. Gordon (MC), det. Nav. Med. School, Wash. D. C., about Feb. 1; to Nav. Hosp., Norfolk, Va.

Ch. Pharm. C. P. Hines, det. Nav. Hosp., Mare Island, Calif., about March 1; to Nav. Hosp., San Diego, Calif.

Ch. Pay Clk. R. Hathaway, det. Rec. Ship, San Francisco, about Feb. 20; to USS Raleigh.

Ch. Pay Clk. J. R. Huggett, det. USS Raleigh about Feb. 27; to Navy Yard, Portsmouth, N. H.

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Chaplain

Chap. J. G. Garrison (Capt.) from duty in Philippine Dept., to duty at hqrs., 9th C. A., Pres. of S. F., Calif.

Field Artillery

Capt. A. F. Kibler, detailed with OR, 3d C. A., assigned to 315th FA, 80th Div., Wash., D. C., Apr. 20, in add. to other duties.

Coast Artillery Corps

Maj. E. W. Turner detailed at Utah State Agric. Coll., Logan, Utah, on completion of tour of foreign service.

Infantry

Maj. A. Tucker detailed in Militia Bur., Apr. 1, from pres. duty as instr., 3rd Div., Tex., NG, Houston, Tex., to Wash., D. C., for duty in office of Ch. of Milit. Bur.

Capt. F. Von B. Dyer from assignment to 3d Inf., from further duty at Ft. Snelling, Minn., detailed to Creighton Univ., Omaha, Nebr.

1st Lt. A. F. White, detailed as instr., P. NG, Grove City, Pa., on completion of pres. tour of foreign service.

Air Corps

2nd Lt. J. L. Horner, Jr., (QMC) from detail in AC, from pres. duties at Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., assigned to QMC, 2d Div., Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

Leaves

Two months, June 30, to Lt. Col. R. H. Williams, GSC.

Five days, Jan. 27, to Lt. Col. G. E. Carpenter, GSC.

One month, 15 days, on arrival in N. Y., to Maj. R. A. Sharer, CE.

Resignation

Resignation, 1st Lt. J. H. Veale, CE, accepted.

Warrant Officers

Wrnt. Offr. J. W. Sword from duties at Ft. Banj. Harrison, Ind., to duty at hqrs. 5th C. A., Ft. Hayes, O.

Wrnt. Offr. E. R. McElfresh to duty with 1st Div., Ft. Hamilton, N. Y., on completion of pres. tour of foreign service.

Wrnt. Offr. Frazier from duties with 1st Div., Ft. Hamilton, N. Y., to N. Y. C. and sail May 28 for Hawaii for duty.

Wrnt. Offr. M. McCann to duty with qm. St. Louis, Mo., on completion of tour of foreign service.

Wrnt. Offr. J. W. Hubler from duties with wms., St. Louis, Mo., to S. F., Calif., and sail June 19 for Hawaii for duty.

Wrnt. Offr. A. Grunfeldt to duty at hqrs., 5th C. A., Ft. Hayes, O., on completion of pres. tour of foreign service and on expiration of any leave that may be granted him.

Wrnt. Offr. W. E. Redmon from duties at hqrs., 5th C. A., Ft. Hayes, O., to N. Y. C., and sail May 28 for Hawaii for duty.

Organized Reserves

2nd Lt. M. V. Little, AC-Res., to active duty Feb. 2, to Chicago, Ill., for training with AC procurement planning representative.

LATE WAR DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

The following War Department orders were received too late for classification:

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Quartermaster Corps

Maj. G. H. Steel now on temp. duty at Ft. Adams, R. I., from duty at Camp Devens, Mass., to Ft. Adams, R. I., for duty as qm.

Capt. A. J. Chappell from duty in office of QMG, Wash. D. C., from addl. duty with Wash. gen. depot, Wash., D. C., to N. Y. C., and sail July 18 for S. F., Calif., for duty at hqrs., 9th C. A.

Medical Corps

Maj. J. R. McKnight from duty at Fitzsimons Gen. Hosp., Denver, Colo., to Ft. Snelling, Minn., May 1 for duty.

Maj. H. S. Cole detailed a member of board to meet at Jefferson Bks., Mo., to examine applicants for commission in MD, vice Capt. F. W. Romaine, relieved.

Dental Corps

Maj. R. L. Bodine from duty at Walter Reed Gen. Hosp., from further duty at gen. disp., USA, Wash., D. C., July 15, to Ft. Benning, Ga., for duty.

Capt. C. Olson from duty at Ft. McDowell, Calif., to Vancouver Bks., Wash., for duty.

1st Lt. G. A. Selby from duty at Fitzsimons Gen. Hosp., Denver, Colo., to Ft. Douglas, Utah for temp. duty until May 1, thence to Ft. Lawton, Wash., for duty assigned.

Cavalry

Capt. F. E. Bertholet from duty with 1st Cav., Ft. D. A. Russell, Tex., to S. F., Calif., and sail May 29 for Philippine Dept. for duty.

1st Lt. B. G. Thayer assigned to 2d Cav. Ft. Riley, Kans., on completion of pres. tour of foreign service.

1st Lt. W. T. Fletcher assigned to 1st Provisional Platoon, Tr. A. 2d Armored Car Sqd., Ft. Geo. G. Meade, Md., on completion of pres. tour of foreign service.

Coast Artillery Corps

Capt. C. E. Atkinson from duty with 9th CA, Ft. Banks, Mass., assigned to 62d CA, Ft. Totten, N. Y., Mar. 1, for duty.

Infantry

Order relieving Capt. N. L. Simmonds from duty with 17th Inf., Ft. Des Moines, Ia., to duty with 24th Inf., Ft. Benning, Ga., revoked.

Order assigning 1st Lt. C. C. B. Warden to Inf. 2d Div., Ft. Francis E. Warren, on completion of pres. tour of foreign service, revoked.

2nd Lt. M. W. Peck from duty with 35th Inf., from further duty in Hawaiian Dept., assigned to 30th Inf., Pres. of S. F., Calif.; he will return on first transport to U. S. and report to Letterman Gen. Hosp. for observation and treatment, thence to duty assigned.

Air Corps

2nd Lt. W. T. Abbott (CE) from detail in AC, from duties at Ft. Sam Houston,

Tex., assigned to Co. B, 29th Engrs., Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

2nd Lt. H. W. Davison (Cav) from detail in AC, from pres. duties at Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., assigned to 2d Cav., Ft. Riley, Kans., for duty.

Leaves

Ten days, Jan. 16, to Maj. G. G. Bartlett, GSC.

One month, 7 days, Feb. 4, to Capt. R. B. Walker, AC.

Seven days, Jan. 18, 1st Lt. H. B. Wad-dell, Cav.

Two months, Apr. 29, to 2nd Lt. P. J. Henderson, Inf.

Order granting leave of absence to Capt. C. Stalsburg, QMC, revoked.

Promotions

The promotion of the following officers is announced:

Quartermaster Corps—1st Lt. J. O. Browne to Capt., Dec. 1.

Finance Department—2nd Lt. T. G. McCulloch to 1st Lt., Sept. 11.

Corps of Engineers—1st Lt. F. H. Hohl-ness to Capt., Nov. 19.

Ordnance Department—1st Lt. G. T. Rowland to Capt., Nov. 20.

Signal Corps—1st Lt. H. L. Vitahum to Capt., Nov. 24.

Chemical Warfare Service—1st Lt. C. W. Hoadley to Capt., Sept. 11; 1st Lt. H. McP. Woodward, Jr., to Capt., Sept. 14.

Calvary—Maj. A. R. Chaffee (detailed in G. S. C.) to Lt. Col., Dec. 13; 1st Lt. B. Vail to Capt., Sept. 26; 1st Lt. E. H. deSaussure to Capt., Oct. 20; 1st Lt. C. W. Fike to Capt., Oct. 31; 1st Lt. J. V. Gagne to Capt., Nov. 29; 1st Lt. P. M. Robinett to Capt., Dec. 2; 2nd Lt. J. H. Stadler, Jr., to 1st Lt., Sept. 14; 2nd Lt. L. K. Ladue to 1st Lt., Sept. 25; 2nd Lt. L. C. Berry to 1st Lt., Sept. 29.

Field Artillery—Maj. E. W. Wildrick (detailed in G. S. C.) to Lt. Col., Dec. 16; 1st Lt. F. E. Kauffman to Capt., Sept. 15; 1st Lt. B. M. James to Capt., Oct. 2; 1st Lt. R. A. Carter to Capt., Oct. 3; 1st Lt. J. Hunt to Capt., Oct. 8; 1st Lt. E. T. Hayes to Capt., Oct. 23; 1st Lt. A. B. Hickley to Capt., Oct. 26; 1st Lt. J. A. Smith, Jr., to Capt., Nov. 3; 1st Lt. W. B. Walters to Capt., Nov. 7; 1st Lt. R. H. Knapp to Capt., Nov. 12; 1st Lt. A. J. Guernsey to Capt., Nov. 13; 1st Lt. J. G. Brackinridge to Capt., Nov. 13; 1st Lt. M. M. Pharr to Capt., Nov. 28; 1st Lt. J. B. Lord to Capt., Dec. 1; 1st Lt. P. J. Atkinson to Capt., Dec. 2; 2nd Lt. O. M. Barton to 1st Lt., Sept. 4; 2nd Lt. B. Furuholmen to 1st Lt., Sept. 8; 2nd Lt. C. P. Summerall, Jr., to 1st Lt., Sept. 10; 2nd Lt. L. C. Frieders-dorff to 1st Lt., Sept. 15; 2nd Lt. D. F. Healy, Jr., to 1st Lt., Sept. 19; 2nd Lt. F. S. Kirkpatrick to 1st Lt., Sept. 23; 2nd Lt. G. W. Vaughan to 1st Lt., Sept. 24; 2nd Lt. W. H. Bartsch, Jr., to 1st Lt., Oct. 2; 2nd Lt. G. J. Reid to 1st Lt., Oct. 3; 2nd Lt. J. W. Clyburn to 1st Lt., Oct. 5; 2nd Lt. D. G. Erskine to 1st Lt., Oct. 6; 2nd Lt. A. N. Stubblebine, Jr., to 1st Lt., Oct. 8; 2nd Lt. R. C. Cameron to 1st Lt., Oct. 10; 2nd Lt. W. L. Coughlin to 1st Lt., Oct. 10; 2nd Lt. W. T. Sexton to 1st Lt., Oct. 20; 2nd Lt. R. A. Ellsworth to 1st Lt., Oct. 23; 2nd Lt. G. E. Wrockloff to 1st Lt., Oct. 23; 2nd Lt. C. E. Hart to 1st Lt., Oct. 31; 2nd Lt. K. N. Decker to 1st Lt., Oct. 31; 2nd Lt. T. A. Jennings to 1st Lt., Nov. 4.

Coast Artillery Corps—1st Lt. W. L. Claxton to Capt., Sept. 16; 1st Lt. F. A. Hollinghead to Capt., Oct. 13; 1st Lt. V. W. Wortman to Capt., Oct. 20; 2nd Lt. F. A. Keeler to 1st Lt., Oct. 27; 2nd Lt. G. A. Ford to 1st Lt., Nov. 2.

Infantry—Capt. H. F. Kramer to Maj., Dec. 13; Capt. C. P. Evers to Maj., Dec. 16; 1st Lt. L. M. Hester to Capt., Sept. 8; 1st Lt. C. P. Chapman to Capt., Sept. 16; 1st Lt. D. C. Burnett to Capt., Sept. 19; 1st Lt. E. P. Earle to Capt., Sept. 20; 1st Lt. R. W. Bryant to Capt., Sept. 24; 1st Lt. W. B. Smith to Capt., Sept. 24; 1st Lt. O. H. Prier to Capt., Sept. 25; 1st Lt. W. L. Sherfy to Capt., Sept. 25; 1st Lt. T. F. Joyce to Capt., Sept. 26; 1st Lt. W. B. Cochran to Capt., Oct. 2; 1st Lt. P. M. Camp to Capt., Oct. 2; 1st Lt. T. E. Mahoney to Capt., Oct. 5; 1st Lt. F. S. Ross to Capt., Oct. 8; 1st Lt. P. C. Wilders to Capt., Oct. 19; 1st Lt. J. F. Brison to Capt., Oct. 22; 1st Lt. E. P. Lakert to Capt., Oct. 23; 1st Lt. C. H. Krams to Capt., Oct. 27; 1st Lt. C. H. Farish to Capt., Oct. 31; 1st Lt. C. D. Overfelt to Capt., Nov. 2; 1st Lt. G. Van Studdiford to Capt., Nov. 5; 1st Lt. J. N. Nostelst (detailed in Sig. C.) to Capt., Nov. 9; 1st Lt. M. B. Durrett to Capt., Nov. 13; 1st Lt. F. C. Brink to Capt., Nov. 16; 1st Lt. E. J. Bond to Capt., Nov. 16; 1st Lt. G. Proctor to Capt., Nov. 16; 1st Lt. A. F. White to Capt., Nov. 20; 1st Lt. R. H. Larkins to Capt., Nov. 27; 1st Lt. G. F. Herbert to Capt., Nov. 27; 1st Lt. C. B. Lee to Capt., Nov. 29; 1st Lt. F. N. Mallory to Capt., Dec. 3; 1st Lt. E. R. Shugart to Capt., Dec. 5; 1st Lt. U. W. Holly to Capt., Dec. 7; 2nd Lt. L. C. Barkes to 1st Lt., Sept. 16; 2nd Lt. G. A. Strother to 1st Lt., Sept. 18; 2nd Lt. G. A. Millener to 1st Lt., Sept. 19; 2nd Lt. E. A. Baker to 1st Lt., Sept. 20; 2nd Lt. R. Cooper to 1st Lt., Sept. 24; 2nd Lt. R. Pulsifer to 1st Lt., Sept. 24; 2nd Lt. O. P. Bragan to 1st Lt., Oct. 1; 2nd Lt. R. J. McBride to 1st Lt., Oct. 2; 2nd Lt. C. W. Van Way, Jr., to 1st Lt., Oct. 2; 2nd Lt. H. W. McHugh to 1st Lt., Oct. 2; 2nd Lt. A. D. Mead, Jr., to 1st Lt., Oct. 8; 2nd Lt. C. H. Royce to 1st Lt., Oct. 9; 2nd Lt. P. A. Fickhardt to 1st Lt., Oct. 13; 2nd Lt. G. P. O'Neill to 1st Lt., Oct. 17; 2nd Lt. O. de la Rosa to 1st Lt., Oct. 18; 2nd Lt. H. C. Burgess to 1st Lt., Oct. 20; 2nd Lt. F. P. Stevens to 1st Lt., Oct. 22; 2nd Lt. J. E. Macklin, 2d., to 1st Lt., Oct. 24; 2nd Lt. E. A. Chazal to 1st Lt., Nov. 3; 2nd Lt. R. D. Graves to 1st Lt., Nov. 5; 2nd Lt. M. E. Smith, Jr., to 1st Lt., Nov. 7.

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Army Supply Bill

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diplomatic relations with all countries except Russia.

Representative LaGuardia, offered and withdrew a pro forma amendment to reduce the maximum reward paid for apprehension of deserters from \$50 to \$25, and to reduce the total appropriations for their apprehension from \$150,000 to \$80,000. He spoke in favor of one year enlistments.

Representative Barbour, in charge of the bill, explained that the appropriations for apprehending deserters had been cut down \$20,000 from last year's figure.

Representative Schafer (Rep.), of Milwaukee, Wis., suggested the purchase for the Army of cars confiscated from rum runners which are sold at 10 per cent of their value.

Representative LaGuardia made a point of order against a provision for military posts that would have exempted the Quartermaster General from labor restrictions on construction projects at the Military Academy. Mr. LaGuardia said this is legislation in an appropriation bill. The Chair sustained the point.

Representative Barbour offered an amendment providing that no funds appropriated for construction shall be used for permanent additions or extensions of existing buildings. This and a similar amendment by Mr. Barbour regarding hospital construction were adopted.

Representative Irwin (Rep.), of Belleville, Ill., offered an amendment increasing the appropriations for Air Corps construction and purchases from \$35,823,473 to \$36,023,473. The amendment was lost on a rising vote.

An amendment by Representative Jones (Dem.), of Amarillo, Tex., to strike out the clause in the text of the bill, which specifically provided that no money appropriated in the Air Corps funds should be used to purchase supplies of helium gas, was carried unanimously.

When the House resumed consideration of the bill on Jan. 13, Representative Barbour, discussing anti-aircraft guns, said those weapons are still in an experimental stage. Mr. LaGuardia supported the statement, declaring it would be foolish to appropriate any considerable sum for such guns at the present.

During a discussion of chemical warfare, Mr. Barbour said the appropriation sought was sufficient for defense preparations. The best gas mask in the world, he said, has been developed by the Army; 6,000 masks a day can be made as soon as improvements are completed, and the present capacity is about 2,000 daily, he stated.

Representative Collins offered an amendment to prohibit reserve officers other than those in the combat branch from receiving pay and allowances. Mr. LaGuardia and others attacked the amendment on the grounds that it would exclude from training officers in some of the most important branches of the military establishment.

Mr. Barbour made a point against the amendment, saying it would cause inclusion of legislation in the bill. Mr. Collins asserted his amendment was only limiting, and the point was withdrawn. The amendment failed when put to vote.

Mr. Collins offered an amendment that would have prohibited the training of students in R. O. T. C. units in educational institutions, in branches that would not fit them to be members of combat agencies. Mr. Barbour raised the same point, and the chair ruled against it. After a brief discussion the amendment was rejected.

The next day, Jan. 14, when the House resumed discussion, Mr. Collins resumed his tactics during consideration of a provision proposing \$500,000 for expenses of national rifle matches. Collins unsuccessfully offered a series of amendments proposing various maximum age limits for those competing. On his proposal to bar any one 70 years or over, Representative Snell asked how many that would affect.

Representative Barbour, in charge of the bill, said it would affect only two. Representative Byrns opposed spending money to train men whose ages would bar them from acceptance in case of war. Mr. Barbour said that the theory is that it is advisable to foster rifle shooting in this country. The provision remained undisturbed.

An amendment was offered by Representative McReynolds proposing to increase from \$54,000 to \$71,000 the amount allotted for the Chickamauga and Chattanooga national military parks was voted down.

Representative Barbour opposed the amendment. Representatives Lankford and Crisp urged its adoption.

Report Pay Resolution

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of the session. Our committee reported it and it died on the calendar."

"We have quite a few bills before our committee at this time dealing with this subject, and I presume the same is true of the committee on Naval Affairs. Last year there were passed several plans proposed for increasing the pay in the Navy, and we have had all sorts of pressure brought to bear on behalf of similar bills before our committee. In the last session of Congress I introduced a resolution in the House and Senator Reed introduced it in the Senate, which came out of those committees unanimously. It was passed by the House unanimously, but died in the Senate and I have also reintroduced my bill. It has passed the Senate and is now pending in your committee."

"At the last session you added the word 'promotion' but I sincerely hope that you will not add the word 'promotion' this time, because there is no comparison between the promotion in the Army and in the Navy. It is an entirely different system, and if the word 'promotion' is put in, it will be absolutely impossible to get the two schools of thought in the Army and Navy to agree."

Mr. Snell, chairman of the committee, then spoke up and said, "I will say that I was probably responsible for that as much as anybody, but after talking it over further with you and Mr. Britten, I guess I am wrong and we will not put that word in this year."

Later, Mr. Snell said, "There is one thing we want to have understood in connection with this resolution, and that is that it is to be guarded so that it will not be for the distinct purpose of raising pay all around. It should be understood that they are going to give careful consideration only to the things that are justified by the evidence before the committee."

"I want to state," Mr. James replied, "that there has been a study made by an interdepartmental board composed of representatives from the Department of Commerce and from the Army and Navy, and in addition President Hoover has had a study made by the Bureau of Efficiency, the report of which is completed and ready for the joint committee. I understand, also, that the Bureau of the Budget is making a study of it, so that when the joint committee meets, they will have the reports of these three studies."

Urges "Real Study"

Then Mr. Snell said, "Of course, no one will appear before the joint committee against increasing pay so that this committee must make a real study of the proposition on its own account."

"I realize," Mr. James said, "that the pressure that has been brought to bear will be increased. At the last session of Congress our committee reported out a bill which would have taken care of the men below the hump. The bill passed the House unanimously twice, but the Senate added to it everything except the kitchen stove. In the conference an effort was made to take care of the men above the hump, and when that was done, so far as the House conference was concerned, the bill was killed. I am particularly interested in the first and second lieutenants and captains and especially the second lieutenants."

At this point Representative O'Connell made a remark inferring that it would have been better to have drafted the measure in a concurrent resolution rather than a joint resolution. Representative Snell agreed with him, pointing out that the matter is not an executive one and the investigation is a Congressional matter, but saying that the Senate always does things that way.

See Quick Action.

The question of how long it will take to complete the investigation and get action on the resulting bill came under discussion when Representative Bankhead, a member of the committee, remarked, "If this resolution should be adopted with reasonable promptness and a joint committee created, would

A substitute amendment, offered by Representative Clague, which would increase the appropriation to \$66,000, was adopted by a vote of 49 to 45.

Mr. Barbour submitted an amendment which would continue the unexpended balance in the Treasury to the credit of Petersburg (Va.) National Military Park, in addition to the \$10,000 provided in the bill. Mr. Barbour said the unobligated balance was about \$33,000. The amendment was adopted without a record vote.

Cadet Choir in New York

West Point (Special)—The entire Cadet Chapel Choir will sing three numbers at St. Thomas Church, New York City, tomorrow afternoon. Mr. F. C. Mayer, organist and choirmaster at West Point, will conduct the singing.

The cadets will leave today in charge of Lt. J. A. Cranston and make their headquarters at the Hotel Astor.

it be able to make a report so that you could hope to have a bill passed covering this question this session of Congress?"

Mr. James answered, "Yes."

"Or," continued Mr. Bankhead, "do you think it will have to go over until next session?"

"So far as I am concerned," Mr. James said, "if we had all the necessary information from the Bureau of the Budget and the Bureau of Efficiency, if I were a member of the Joint committee I would do everything I could to get the bill passed at the present session of Congress."

"It is my idea," Mr. Snell spoke up, "that a pretty comprehensive study of this matter ought to be made, and that will take some time. I am speaking of something now that I do not know definitely about, but if they go into this matter and make a thorough study of it, and they ought to make a thorough study if they go into it at all, it will take some time. It is something that will require careful consideration."

"We will not adjourn until June or July," Mr. James reminded.

No Opposition.

Mr. Snell asked Mr. James if there is any opposition to the resolution in his committee. Mr. James said that the matter had not been considered by his committee, but that as far as he knows there is no objection.

Representative Britten, chairman of the committee on Naval Affairs, was the next witness.

"I simply desire," Mr. Britten told the committee, "to substantiate everything Mr. James has said in regard to the desirability of passing this rule. I agree with you, Mr. Chairman, that this should not be a general pay raise investigation. I do not think that this is necessary at all, but there are many inequalities in the pay of the many various officers of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, Coast Guard, Public Health Service and Coast and Geodetic Survey, and they ought to be ironed out by legislation. We have a condition where three captains or three commanders, all of them with the same length of service and all doing comparatively the same character of duty, have different pay schedules. Then we have many cases where a lieutenant commander on board ship may be getting more pay than the commanding officer of the ship, who is a captain."

"There is a lot of dissatisfaction among the unmarried officers whose pay is materially less than that of married officers while performing the same duty. Of course, that is not conducive to high morale or to the good of the service. I am rather surprised to have my colleague, Mr. James, say that this may be ironed out and agreed upon between now and July 1. I do not think it can be done in a year. It will probably be a very, very complex question as all of you gentlemen know, as well as I do, there will be many interests after the members of the joint committee and all of them after increases in pay."

"Now we have a condition in the Navy where the highest pay for a lieutenant commander, the highest pay for a captain and the highest pay for a commander is \$7,200. Of course, that sounds unfair, on the face of it. If a lieutenant commander is getting the same pay as the top-side pay of a captain, there may be some way of ironing out the situation by reducing the top-side pay of a lieutenant commander. All of that will bring a lot of discontent, and the members of this joint committee should realize that they have a big job on their hands. They will be harassed on all sides by requests for increases, all the way down the list, and unless they are careful, we will be confronted with a situation in the next year or two in which there will be an increase in pay of from \$80,000,000 to \$90,000,000 a year. The Interdepartmental Board recommended an increase of \$30,000,000 annually for Navy alone. It is my impression that Congress will not stand for a bill of that kind."

Stop "Pop-Gun" Bills.

A discussion followed between Mr. Snell and Mr. Britten on stopping the flow of what the Rules chairman referred to as "pop-gun" bills benefiting individuals and classes in the services. They agreed that that type of

Must Graduate

THE Bureau of Navigation recently announced that Circular Letter No. 7-28 is to be replaced by instructions to be included in the next printed change in the Bureau of Navigation Manual. Heretofore graduation from certain service schools has been a requirement for advancement to certain chief petty officer ratings, but men could be placed on the eligibility lists prior even to attendance at the schools, being passed over until eventual graduation.

Under the forthcoming change men holding these ratings, unless serving on the Asiatic Station, will not be recommended to the Bureau for placing on the eligibility lists until graduation. The ratings and schools affected are as follows: Chief Radioman, Radio Material School, Washington, D. C. Chief Electrician's Mate, Gyro Compass School, Navy Yard, New York, N. Y. Chief Torpedoman, Torpedomen's School, Newport, R. I., or Battle Fleet Torpedomen's School, San Diego, Calif. Chief Commissary Steward, Cooks' and Bakers' School, Hampton Roads, Va., or San Diego, Calif. Chief Photographer, Photographer's School, Pensacola, Fla.

bill should not be handled until the Joint committee straightens out the general situation.

Representative Martin then reported to the committee that Representative Frederick Hale, a member of the House Naval Affairs committee, is in favor of the bill and had intended to testify at the hearing, but was unable to attend.

Another important witness was Representative Parker, chairman of the Interstate and Foreign Commerce committee.

French Testifies.

"I wish," Mr. Parker said, "to state on behalf of the Interstate and Foreign Commerce committee, that we are very much interested in this resolution. As you know, we have jurisdiction of the pay of the Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey and the Public Health Service. I think this is a very wise proposition. We have had occasion to see the inequalities in the pay and believe this will help iron out the situation."

Representative French, chairman of (Please turn to Page 471)

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HE DOESN'T NEED IT.

Editor, Army and Navy Journal: RECENTLY you have published so many letters from enlisted men that I thought I'd try one myself. In case you can spare the space, I'd appreciate it very much if you would care to publish my comments which follow:

The humorous and absurd letters from disgruntled enlisted men and their wives on the subject of Army pay, published in your columns are most enlightening from a comedy standpoint. The DEML class are never satisfied until their hand shaking, wire pulling efforts have been rewarded by transfer to that branch with its "gravey train." And then the splurge begins, also debts. Their jobs compare with those of civilian flunkies, semi-skilled laborers and clerks drawing from \$75 to \$125 a month. But, where the civilian is, in general, intelligent enough to live within his means and prepare for a rainy day, the DEML man is foolish enough to believe he must compete with the \$200 up class, and then he blames the Army pay for his lack of common horse sense. And how insulted they are when asked "why not go back to soldiering if you don't like it?"

Another class is those who occupy government shacks and think they have to live like high powered executives, buy a new \$1,500 car every year, and, being jealous of all others, have to invest in the latest styles as fast as they come out, and have to beat Mrs. Sgt. so and so whenever she gets a new dress, hat, rug, radio, furniture, etc., etc. A great deal of unnecessary expense is caused by the men handing their pay over to their foolish wives. When the husband makes the living he should be the boss of his pay and his home. If he hasn't sense enough to be the boss he should not get married. I know from experience that a second grade man and wife living in a government shack can easily save an average of \$35 a month out of the maximum pay, wear good clothes, eat three real meals a day, and otherwise enjoy life very comfortably. In spite of all contrary advertisements a car is not a necessity as street cars and trains are still running and walking is good exercise. Some of the letters accent transfers as though they occur once a year and oftener. Once in five years seems to be about the average. Of course the boomers move around oftener for their own convenience and at their own expense. And, of course, moving costs money, but it is unnecessary that new furniture, etc., be purchased on every move. Substantial material can always be bought reasonably with the exercise of a little common sense, and this material should be still in good condition on retirement. As long as the War Department places an enlisted man with his dependents in a separate class from that of officers and warrant officers on change of station we will have to dig into our savings these expenses for a family of three to meet the incidental expenses, but should not amount to \$150 between even New York and the Philippines, hardly more than the pay for the time consumed, and such journeys are more or less in the nature of furloughs.

It's always been "More Pay." Bosh! Of course no one would object to its being handed out on the golden platter, but, excepting the good first sergeants, personnel sergeants and some others, how many are actually earning their present pay? Not that some of us are not willing to "put

AA Normal CAC Mission

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to enable them to serve this armament with the same skill that they have developed in serving seacoast armament. All Seacoast Artillery units will conduct target practice with both Anti-aircraft and Seacoast Artillery.

Training programs, the communication continues, should provide as much training in Anti-aircraft Artillery as is practicable for all CAC officers on staff duty or on duty with Seacoast Artillery units. As nearly as practicable, those on duty with the anti-aircraft Organized Reserves will be ordered annually to participate in anti-aircraft firings or joint exercises with the Air Corps.

Training will be conducted annually in the following subjects by the units named:

Artillery Training, Target Practice, Tactical Employment and Care of Material.

Each battery of railway, tractor-drawn, anti-aircraft and fixed artillery must be proficient, under the battery commander, in drill, subcaliber and service practice, including an analysis of each where applicable; in adjustment of fire, camouflage; and, when appropriate, in movement, concealment, emplacement, employment, operation and maintenance of the material to which assigned. Seacoast Artillery units will be proficient in the tactical employment of the railway, tractor, or fixed artillery to which assigned. These units will be required to be proficient in tactical employment of Anti-aircraft Artillery only to such an extent as is applicable to the material available. The work of the various sections of the battery must be thoroughly coordinated so as to constitute a training team capable of operating at highest efficiency.

A similar proficiency is required of the group or battalion. The work of the various batteries must constitute a unit capable of working alone or as part of a higher command.

The fort, regiment or harbor defenses must be proficient in use of its material, in drill conducted from the command post, in the installation and maintenance of artillery communications, and, when appropriate, in movement and emplacement of material. Particular attention will be devoted to perfecting the details of joint training with the Navy, particularly the Naval District Forces, and the Army Air Corps. Corps Area and Department commanders will, wherever possible, arrange for joint training between the Air Corps and Anti-aircraft Artillery. This training will be devoted to the development of tactics and technique of the joint employment of these two arms, both on the offensive and the defensive.

The proficiency prescribed for the above training must be attained. The desirable percentage of available training to be devoted thereto should be, where practicable, not less than 85 per cent. If necessary, to attain this standard of proficiency, other training will be curtailed.

Infantry Drill

The squads, platoons, batteries, battalions and regiments must be "put out," but the work is not always steady. It should not be beneath the dignity of the high ranking, highly paid sergeants to pitch in their spare time and help out the little corporal and sergeant who are never done, and thus do a full days work for a full day's pay. As it is, it is not an uncommon sight to see a corporal or a sergeant performing the duty of a technical or of a master sergeant who are too dumb to do it themselves. It also frequently happens that a man is promoted to the second or first grade and is retained on his old job which is one prescribed for a fourth or third grade man, and the vacancy, created at another post, which has caused his promotion, is filled by a junior grade man.

One great cause of general dissatisfaction would be removed if all men who held commissions, all master sergeants, and all others with no immediate prospect of promotion were forced to retire immediately upon completion of 30 years service. The fact that they are permitted to remain in service for their own convenience and hold up promotion is one prime well founded factor of discontent, for there is not one of them who did not belly-ache for at least 25 years for the 25-year bill.

And notwithstanding all contrary arguments, the retired allowances should be increased, if only for the reason that the original law clearly indicates that these allowances are to be paid to a retired soldier at the rate of three-fourths of their cost to the Government.

"Pessimist."

Allow Working Dress

A CHANGE in Article 205 of the Navy Uniform Regulations, which prescribes the occasions on which the working dress for aviators may be worn, has been approved by the Secretary of the Navy. The change permits Naval aviators to wear this uniform for the duration of extended flights except when in attendance at evening functions.

efficient, under the direction of their respective commanders, in so much of the principles and movements of the squad, platoon, battery, battalion and regiment as will permit them to take part in formations, ceremonies, inspections and parades. Instruction in ten pitching and riot duty will be given as part of the Infantry training and only so much instruction in tent pitching as will enable the soldiers to pitch tents in bivouac will be given.

Small Arms Instruction.

Each enlisted man armed with the rifle will fire, once in each enlistment period. The course prescribed in Instruction Practice, Course D, (Tr. 150-10). Training with the automatic rifle will be as prescribed in TR 150-30.

Signalling

In each organization where signal personnel will be required in the tactical mission, adequate signal details qualified in the use of the lamp or blinker signal will be included.

Physical Training and Athletics

To include calisthenics and setting-up exercises; mass athletics, games.

Chemical Warfare Defense

To include such training as will be necessary to conduct drill or target practice when specially ordered while under a gas concentration.

Camouflage and Discipline

To include a knowledge of the use of camouflage material and the use of roads and paths in vicinity of battery position.

First Aid and Personal and Social Hygiene

To include a knowledge of the proper procedure in the case of fractures, burns, wounds, drowning and prostrations; a knowledge of the manipulation and use of splints, bandages and other emergency devices; to include a thorough knowledge of the care of the person both in camp and on the march and of prophylactics.

Interior Guard Duty

To include that knowledge necessary for the performance of interior guard duty.

No training will be given on the active machine guns now assigned to regiments of Seacoast Artillery.

In Table of Allotment 12068 there is shown the allocation of officers and enlisted men that the Secretary of War deems necessary for assignment to care properly for the Coast Artillery armament, including machine guns, ammunition, fire control installations and accessories in the respective inactive harbor defenses. These caretaking detachments are charged with the maintenance of the armament of those harbor defenses in a condition to permit its effective employment in the early stages of any emergency. No members of these detachments, commissioned or enlisted, will be assigned to any duty which will interfere with their caretaking activities. Neither will this personnel be permanently or temporarily removed from the armament and installations for which they are responsible without the specific approval of the Secretary of War in each case. Care-taking detachments will receive training in the subjects listed in paragraphs 8A and 8i, and in gunners' instruction.

The 18th Sound Ranging Battery in the Harbor Defenses of Long Island Sound is specifically charged with the development work of subaqueous sound ranging. The personnel of this organization will not be assigned any duty or receive any training in any subject that in the opinion of the commanding officer of the battery will interfere with the development program for subaqueous sound ranging as prescribed by the Chief of Coast Artillery.

Due to the special problem in the training of Philippine Scouts of the Coast Artillery the commanding general, Philippine Department, is authorized to make such exceptions for the training of these organizations in anti-aircraft artillery as he deems advisable. Every effort should be made to have the officer personnel of these organizations receive training in anti-aircraft artillery, particularly in the technique of the fire of guns, machine guns and searchlights.

The training directive takes effect on June 30.

Court Allows Dependency

DECISION was rendered by the Court of Claims on Jan. 12 in favor of Don R. Norris, captain, USA, claiming dependent allowance on account of his mother. The opinion of the court is stated as follows:

The plaintiff, an officer in the United States Army, brings this suit to recover the difference in rental and subsistence allowances between those of an officer without dependents, in which status he has been paid, and an officer with a dependent.

Claim is made for rental allowance, because of a dependent mother, from Jan. 1, 1924, to Sept. 10, 1927, and for subsistence allowance from Jan. 1, 1924, to July 7, 1928.

Section 4 of the act of June 10, 1922, 42 Stat. 625, relied upon by plaintiff, provides:

"That the term 'dependent' as used in the succeeding sections of this act shall include at all times and in all places a lawful wife and unmarried children under 21 years of age. It shall also include the mother of the officer provided she is in fact dependent on him for chief support."

In *James deB. Walbach v. The United States*, 67 C. Cls. 239, this court said:

"We believe that Congress intended, by the enactment of the statutes on this subject, to relieve officers of the Army and Navy from the necessity of providing out of their official salary for a mother who is without income sufficient for her support, in accordance with her station in life."

And in *William G. Tomlinson v. The United States*, 66 C. Cls. 697, 700, this court had before it a case where plaintiff's dependent mother had approximately \$10,000 worth of property, which produced an income of \$55 monthly. We then said:

"The main contention on behalf of the defendant is that, while plaintiff's mother owns this property, she is not dependent upon him for her chief support; and it seems to be claimed that until this property or its proceeds have been exhausted she is not 'in fact dependent.' We think the intent of the law is that where the person alleged to be dependent has property which is returning an income, the case should be determined upon the situation in which the alleged dependent is found, considering the income which she receives from the property, and then determining whether the amount necessary and proper for her support above the amount of her receipts is such that she is dependent 'for her chief support' upon other sources. . . ."

The statute provides that the term "dependent" shall include the mother of the officer provided she is in fact dependent on him for her chief support.

In the instant case the mother of plaintiff was not only dependent on him for her chief support, but he was in fact practically her only support. From Jan. 1, 1924, to July 1, 1928, except for \$100 which she earned in the spring of 1924, plaintiff's mother received her entire support from him. No one else contributed to her support in any way. During three years of the time she lived with him in a cottage which he maintained at his own expense, and at all other times he sent her checks and money amounting to about \$70 per month, in addition to financing her trip from Honolulu to the mainland necessary for her health.

It would be hard to conceive a plainer case of dependency of a mother than the one presented here. The mother is a widow, without property or income, in poor health, and has no one except the plaintiff to whom she can look for support. It is true she has a daughter, but the daughter is herself in poor health and is not able physically or financially to contribute to the mother's support. The plaintiff is the only person in the world upon whom the mother can either legally or morally depend for support.

It was undoubtedly the purpose of Congress to relieve officers situated as plaintiff is here from the burden of taking from salaries, barely sufficient for their own needs, monthly allowances for the support of a dependent mother.

Plaintiff's showing that his mother is dependent on him for her chief support, and also that he has dutifully and generously responded to his responsibility and furnished such support, is overwhelming and conclusive.

The plaintiff is entitled to recover, but the entry of judgment will be suspended to await the coming report from the General Accounting Office showing the amount due under the court's findings and this opinion.

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Pay Resolution

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the sub-committee on Naval Appropriations, testified before the committee from the standpoint of a holder of the purse strings.

"I have no objection," he said, "to the joint resolution going through or to the appointment of a joint committee that will make a thorough investigation. I want you to underscore the statement made by Mr. Britten, saying that if the bill goes through in anything like the terms discussed by those who are proposing it, it is going to add somewhere around \$85,000,000 or \$90,000,000 to the annual budget of our country. It will add about \$25,000,000 or \$30,000,000 to the Navy budget. I think that all of us must realize the importance of our trust if the bill goes through. We must take hold if we are to prevent everybody from getting an increase.

"There is one thing you want to bear in mind in this committee and that is that there are several bills pending before the different legislative committees proposing a rearrangement of pay and promotion in the different grades. There is one, I think, which will be reported from the Naval Legislative committee, proposing promotion and pay rearrangements for officers of the Marine Corps. This bill alone is going to add, as I see it, one or two million dollars to the budget. I do not think that this bill should be considered at this time or until the studies of the joint committee have been completed and its suggestions cared for. In other words, it is a part of the same piece of cloth and it should be considered as one thing. I do not know whether any other bills have been reported by the Navy and Military committees, but they are always proposing changes by piece-meal."

Opposed to Other Bills

"If any are reported I want to say, regardless of the merits of the bills, that I think it unwise to do that. It would be giving an opportunity to a class of officers to benefit under the terms of some particular bill. There you would be considering it just from the standpoint of the particular persons who are referred to in the particular bill. That particular bill I have reference to I think, is not before you this morning, but I am bringing that up because I think it is pertinent to the whole question. I do not think that any bill should be considered at the same session of Congress ahead of the general proposition that it is proposed may be studied by the joint committee that is asked for in the resolution."

"That is what I had in mind," said Mr. Snell, "when I made the statement a while ago. I thought if we should set up a committee to consider the situation we should not consider any special pay bills until we have the report of the joint committee."

Mr. Britten explained, "The committee on Naval Affairs has reported two personnel bills, one for the line of the Navy and which will start with a savings of from \$15,000 to \$16,000 a year by July 1, 1930, and thereafter will save considerably more. You ought to bear in mind that there is a distinct difference between pay and promotion list activities. They are always considered apart from each other. This bill that has been reported out for the Marine Corps does increase the pay for the first 10 or 12 years, and then it will have the effect of decreasing the pay. The war made inequalities and humps in the services and they must be ironed out in the promotion list rather than on the pay schedules. You cannot equalize men's brains on the basis of pay alone. Therefore we have these two distinct things."

Mr. French declared that he differed in part from Mr. Britten's statements. He said that passage of either of the bills is going to be very serious in connection with the whole problem of the joint committee. He said that he had studied the personnel bills very carefully.

Disputes Britten.

Representative Sabbath, a member of the Rules committee, asked Mr. French what "influence" he was referring to in regard to the pay bill.

Mr. French replied that he was referring to the influence of the officers and their families. "They are talking to me about it all the time," he said, "and I suppose to all of you, urging relief, promotion plans, increases in pay, etc." "Of course," he added, "that is perfectly legitimate, but I simply mentioned the fact that it was true."

"I do not know," Mr. Sabbath said, "whether you are referring to the organizations that the Army officers and Navy officers have for purposes of influencing the members of the House on

Organized Reserves

Philadelphia (Special)—The first meeting of the new year held under the joint auspices of the Coast Artillery Club and the Coast Artillery Center was by far the most successful held this season. It was preceded by a dinner at Greens Hotel, those members attending the dinner returning to the club room where the unit instructor held a blackboard discussion on various tactical principles concerning an attack. Following this a film was given showing the movement of units of 8-inch guns and 12-inch mortars (Railway Artillery) from Ft. Eustis to Ft. Story and the battle practice held in conjunction with the 16-inch Howitzers.

New York (Special)—At the annual meeting of Manhattan Chapter, ROA, Maj. Wm. A. Hardenbergh was elected president, succeeding Maj. F. E. Davidson.

Other officers were elected as follows:

Maj. C. M. Penfield, first vice president; Capt. F. W. Lee, second vice president, and Maj. J. A. Tobey, secretary-treasurer. Maj. Tobey is director of health service of the Borden Company. The newly elected members of the council of the chapter include Maj. F. E. Davidson, Brig. Gen. J. R. Delafield, Capt. M. C. Harper, Capt. T. B. Hilton, Lt. C. D. Holt, Maj. O. E. McKim, Col. L. C. Trimble, Lt. B. E. Parker, and Col. Julius Adler.

Through the courtesy of the commandant of the 244th Coast Artillery, arrangements have been made for pistol practice by the members of the chapter every Tuesday evening in the Armory of this organization. Capt. T. B. Hilton is in charge of the pistol practice.

Election of officers for the District of Columbia Department, ROA, is slated for the Jan 20 meeting. The present president, Maj. Charles Demonet, Ord. Res., is unopposed for reelection. There are three candidates from whom two vice presidents are to be selected—Maj. Lester Wilson, Spec. Res.; Maj. Frederick Livingston, Inf. Res., and Lt. Col. T. H. Shanton, Inf. Res. Lt. Col. Samuel Goodacre, FA Res., and Lt. Charles Riemer, MI Res., stand unopposed for the offices of treasurer and secretary, respectively.

It is planned to make the installation of officers elected on this occasion a memorable affair. Time and place of installation are not yet announced.

An illustrated account of the Gallipoli (Dardanelles) Campaign, one of the most interesting and dramatic episodes of the World War, by Lt. Col. Girard L. McEntee, Inf., USA, will be the feature event of the annual combined meeting of the Washington Chapter, Quartermaster Association, and the Washington Training Conference. The meeting and Col. McEntee's lecture will be at 8 o'clock on Thursday evening, Jan. 23, at the auditorium of the Interior Department, and all Quartermaster officers of the Regular Army, the National Guard, and the Reserve Corps together with their ladies and friends are cordially invited to attend.

As Col. McEntee's prominence and reputation as an interesting and instructive lecturer on military subjects are well established, Brig. Gen. William E. Horton, the president of Washington Chapter, states, in announcing the lecture, that the event should warrant a large attendance.

Philadelphia (Special)—The sixth meeting of the local Quartermaster training conference for the current season was held on Jan. 15, and featured by an illustrated lecture on Turkey in the World War, with special reference to the Allenby Campaign. The lecturer was Col. G. L. McEntee, Inf., USA.

At the previous meeting, Capt. F. V. Berger, instructor at the Quartermaster school, lectured on "Organization of the Theater of Operations for Combat Supply. Lt. Wilson, also an instructor at the school, described "Organization and Functions of QMC Units in a Theater of Operation."

behalf of pay increase."

Mr. French, to this remark replied, "I do not suggest any unworthy pressure or unworthy influence, but I do suggest this, that we are confronted with the very definite influence, advice and counsel of those who are interested in the program that they want to put through."

Ft. Monmouth Notes

Ft. Monmouth (Special)—Since the opening of the hunting season the Signal Corps homing pigeon lofts have lost 14 birds killed and 8 wounded, according to Col. A. S. Cowan, commanding officer, Ft. Monmouth.

Among the killed were the following noted birds: "Chattanooga Cock," "Red Dugan," "All By Myself," and "Happy." "Chattanooga Cock" was a famous long distance racing pigeon and had on three separate occasions flown the 720 miles distance from Chattanooga to Ft. Monmouth.

Mr. Robert Hertzberg of the Pilot Radio and Tube Corporation of Brooklyn was a visitor at the post Jan. 10.

Capt. R. E. Stafford, who is on duty with the Organized Reserves in New York City, arrived by airplane Jan. 10, for a consultation with Col. A. S. Cowan, commanding officer, concerning Signal Reserve matters.



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Sport Briefs

The Submarine Base cage team is leading the New London city league, having won all the five games thus far played.

The Newport Naval Training Station defeated Lynn General Electric five by 45-32.

Indoor polo has started at Ft. Francis E. Warren.

The 65th Infantry, at San Juan, P. R., will engage the 3rd Infantry, Ft. Snelling, in a telegraphic small bore match on Feb. 18.

Ft. Sheridan and the Great Lakes Training Station recently competed on the sub-caliber range, the former winning by 748-747.

U. of Pa. nosed out the Naval Academy basketball team on Jan. 15 by 32-30.

Governors Island, represented by Maj. Chamberlin and Lts. Wofford and Jones, administered two defeats to the Brooklyn Riding and Driving Club indoor polo team—15-6 and 20-6½.

The 10th Inf. indoor polo team from Ft. Thomas—Capt. McKee and Lts. Brann and Fritzsche—took the measure of Ohio State U. recently—23-5.

The Army five won its third game of the season on Jan. 15, when it defeated Bucknell, 47-34.

20th INF. POST CAGE CHAMPS.

Ft. Francis E. Warren (Special)—In a hotly contested and close fought game for the post championship in basketball, the 20th Infantry again defeated their aggressive and traditional rivals, the 1st, known the world over as the "The Old Grey Mare."

Never more than five points separating the two teams as to score, the game was as thrilling a spectacle as ever turned in by any ball club—professional or amateur.

This was the final game of the nine-game post championship tournament. Both 1st and 20th had lost but one game. The winner goes into the A League in Cheyenne.

FT. LINCOLN SPORTS

Ft. Lincoln (Special)—To date four basketball games have been played in the inter-company league here. Company I won from Company K 26-13. Company L defeated Company M 40-15. Headquarters Company forfeited a game to Company I 2-0, and L won from K 44-11.

Classes in boxing and wrestling have been started. Every afternoon the boxers and wrestlers may be seen working out in the post gymnasium from 1:00 o'clock on. Some 15 men are taking instruction.

1st Lt. Fangburn had charge of the tryouts for the regimental small bore rifle team. This called for shooting at 50-foot range standing, sitting, kneeling, and prone. The three highest scores were turned in by Sgts. Rains, Rich and Bradley, all of Company L.

CAVALRY QUINT WINS AGAIN

West Point (Special)—On Jan. 9th the Cavalry "Big 5" won their first game of the Post Basketball League from the Army Service by a great margin—42 to 6.

The rough riders displayed remarkable passing tactics and accurate shooting and it was apparent from the start that the Service boys were totally outclassed.

C. White (capt.) and Fenter, Cavalry aces, made 26 of the 42 points scored.

Near the end of the first half the Cavalry second team went in with the same assortment of passes, made two points and held the Service to a stand still. Again in the latter part of the second half the second team actually outplayed and outpointed their rivals.

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SERVICE SPORT NEWS

TWO NEW NAVY SPORTS OPEN

Annapolis (Special)—Navy's boxing season commences today, Dartmouth clouters taking the opposite corners. The fencers will get to work against French Y. M. C. A. of New York. The Varsity five will take on Catholic U., while the Plebes meet Baltimore City College in basketball. Rifle matches will be contested with Pennsylvania State College.

Varsity's winning basketball streak was interrupted by Duke on Jan. 11, by a 47-29 score. Plebe cagemen from Emerson Institute of Washington, 31-14. The rifle team outscored U. of Maryland in prone, kneeling, and standing positions, totaling 1351 to their opponents' 1330.

Swimming and water polo get under way on Jan. 25. Varsity and Plebes meet teams from the U. of Pennsylvania in both these sports. Wrestling (Varsity) also starts on that day, against U. of North Carolina. Varsity engages U. of Pennsylvania basketball on the latter's court, and shoot with Georgetown and fence with Penn Athletic Club at home. The Plebe cagers meet Central H. S. of Washington.

4 ARMY TEAMS WIN

West Point (Special)—The Varsity basketball five won its second game on Jan. 11 by defeating Columbia 37-31, the Varsity polo team defeated Squadron A, N. Y. NG. 11-10, the Varsity swimmers won over Lehigh 41-21, and the Plebe swimmers took a 38-24 victory over Poly Prep of Brooklyn. The Varsity hockey match with Williams resulted in a 2-2 tie, and there was one defeat in the day's sports, that of the wrestling team by Washington and Lee, 22 points to 10.

Stecker and Strother were accounted Army's cage stars. Stecker did brilliant work in securing the ball and clever scoring. Strother shone at guarding.

Seven different inter-scholastic matches will be played by Army teams today. Varsity basketball will go to Cambridge and take on Harvard, while the Plebe quintet begins its season against Mackenzie School at the Military Academy. Massachusetts Institute of Technology will be Varsity's first boxing opponent for the year. Hockey (Varsity) will be continued against Bates College. Varsity will likewise meet Ft. Ethan Allen in polo, U. of Delaware in the swimming pool, and Indiana U. on the mat.

On Jan. 25 the Plebes' only scheduled polo game, against the Yale freshmen, will take place. Other games scheduled for that day are Varsity basketball, U. of N. H.; boxing, U. of N. H.; hockey, Colgate; polo, Essex Troop; swimming, Colgate; and wrestling, Franklin and Marshall.

"RADIO SHOTS" IN 1ST DIV.

Ft. Hamilton (Special)—Firing sim simultaneously in Regular Army garri- sons scattered throughout on Southern and five Eastern States, the pick of 1st Division pistol and rifle sharpshooters will compete in elaborate radio conducted shooting competitions as a climax to intensive winter training, according to plans of Brig. Gen. Hugh A. Drum, commanding, which were made public at division headquarters this week.

With gold, silver and bronze medals as prizes, teams of five outstanding marksmen from each battalion in the entire 1st Division will participate in the competition, the results being transmitted by radio to Gen. Drum's headquarters for final determination of winners. The plans call for small bore rifle matches to be held March 13, and the pistol matches on March 27.

Besides the battalions of the 16th Infantry stationed at Governors Island and Ft. Wadsworth, and those of the 18th Infantry at Ft. Schuyler and Ft. Hamilton, the 1st Division units eligible for the competition include the 26th Infantry, Plattsburg; the 28th Infantry, Ft. Niagara; the 5th Field Artillery, Ft. Bragg; the 6th Field Artillery, Ft. Hoyle; the 7th Field Artillery, Madison Barracks, and Ft. Ethan Allen, and the 1st Engineers, Ft. DuPont.

MOVE TO WASHINGTON

Boston (Special)—Capt. C. R. Moore, CE (DOL), will be relieved from duty with the Organized Reserves of the 1st Corps Area about March 30, and assigned to the office of the Chief of Engineers.

1st Division Sports

THE Ft. DuPont company basketball league comprising, Hq. and Serv. Co. and Companies C, D, E and F, 1st Eng., played its first basketball game Jan. 2d at the post gymnasium. Hq. and Serv. Co. and Company F, were the contestants. The first game of the season, it was hard played and technique on both sides showed careful training. The game went to Company F with a score of 37 to 17.

Ft. Wadsworth's basketball team is rapidly overcoming a late start under the guidance of Lt. Lester Bork, recently assigned to the 3d Battalion, 16th Inf. Lt. Bork, who was a member of the Military Academy team in 1928 and 1929, is teaching a squad of 13 the well known Wisconsin system which includes the impregnable "five man defense." While a change of system requires time for results, the manner in which the Ft. Wadsworth five rings up unbroken strings of baskets shows that the attack is "clicking." Lt. Bork has produced two fast, accurate shooting teams of almost equal strength. Since the new system necessitates getting the "tap-off" a supply of fresh centers is an advantage. Thus far this season the Ft. Wadsworth quintet is undefeated and it is expected that the team will finish the season with a trail of brilliant victories behind it.

The basketball and bowling league of Ft. DuPont, Del., are working out according to schedule with an occasional spurt of fast work.

During the past week of exceptionally fine weather volley ball has claimed the attention of the various Ft. Dupont organizations.

Companies E and F, 28th Inf., played the opening game of the Ft. Niagara basketball league. Company E was, during the past week, credited with the first win with a score of 25 to 13. On Jan. 6, Hq. Co. proved its superiority over Serv. Co. by a score of 25 to 15. In both games the competition was keen and a record crowd of spectators.

28th INF. HOLDS MATCHES

The first of a series of intra-regimental indoor rifle matches was participated in by all organizations of the 28th Infantry on Jan. 3. The match, which included both slow and rapid fire in all prescribed positions, was won by the Provisional Battalion, 28th Inf., while individual high honors were divided between Sgt. William Busch, Company I, and Sgt. Julian Pittman, Company C.; the ten high competitors are the proud recipients of commendatory letters from the regimental commander.

Army Confirmations

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H. C. Burgess to be first lieutenant, Inf.
F. R. Stevens to be first lieutenant, Inf.
R. A. Ellsworth to be first lieutenant, FA.
G. E. Wrockloff, jr., to be first lieutenant, FA.
J. E. Macklin, 2d, to be first lieutenant.
R. W. Gibson to be first lieutenant, AC.
F. R. Keeler to be first lieutenant, CAC.
C. E. Hart to be first lieutenant, FA.
K. N. Decker to be first lieutenant, FA.
G. A. Ford to be first lieutenant, CAC.
E. A. Chazal to be first lieutenant, Inf.
T. A. Jennings to be first lieutenant, FA.
R. D. Graves to be first lieutenant, Inf.
R. Graves to be first lieutenant, Inf.
M. E. Smith, jr., to be first lieutenant, Inf.
O. M. Barton to be first lieutenant, FA.
B. Furuholmen to be first lieutenant, FA.
C. P. Summerall, Jr., to be first lieutenant, FA.
T. G. McCulloch to be first lieutenant, FD.
L. H. Rodieck to be first lieutenant, AC.
J. H. Stadler, jr., to be first lieutenant, Cav.
L. C. Friedersdorff to be first lieutenant, FA.

Bishop Brent Memorial

THE friends and admirers the world over of Bishop Charles Henry Brent are to be given an opportunity to aid in carrying on some of the activities founded by the bishop, or activities with which he was intimately associated. Announcement has just been made of the completed plans for the Bishop Brent Memorial which is sponsored by an organization of which Hon. Charles Evans Hughes is Honorary Chairman; Maj. Gen. William C. Rivers, late Inspector General USA, is President; Hon. Alanson B. Houghton, Vice President, and J. P. Morgan, treasurer; all four of whom were personal friends and admirers of the bishop's life and work. The Board of Trustees is made up of twenty-five friends of the bishop as follows: Mrs. Robert Bacon, Mrs. Stephen Baker, Edward D. Brandegee, Mrs. W. Bayard Cutting, Rev. Samuel S. Drury, Gano Dunn, Right Rev. David L. Ferris, Hon. W. Cameron Forbes, Hon. Alanson B. Houghton, Mrs. Helen Hartley Jenkins, Mrs. John Markoe, Samuel Mather, Charles F. R. Ogilby, Rev. Remsen B. Ogilby, Hon. George Wharton Pepper, General John J. Pershing, Mrs. Nathaniel Bowditch Potter, Blanchard Randall, Mrs. Whitelaw Reid, General William C. Rivers, Harper Sibley, Mrs. C. Lorillard Spencer, L. orillard Spencer, Mrs. Leonard Wood, Mrs. A. Murray Young.

The objects of the Fund may be summarized as follows:

1. To further Christian unity by gifts to the budget of the permanent Secretariat of the World Conference on Faith and Order, a cause for which the bishop labored so effectively.
2. To aid in carrying on Bishop Brent's unfinished work in the Philippine Islands: (a) The Moro school work at Jolo. (b) The assistance of other institutions established by Bishop Brent in the Islands, such as St. Luke's Hospital, the Cathedral, and Brent School.
3. To cooperate with the Bishop's successors in his last Diocese off Western New York, in assisting in time of need when funds permit, any unfinished special project of Bishop Brent.

The headquarters of the Bishop Brent Fund is at 6 East 41st Street, New York City. The secretary is Curtis J. Mar and the assistant treasurer is John S. Leech, care of J. P. Morgan & Co., 23 Wall Street, New York, N.Y.

Gen. Rivers, upon his retirement from active service, announced that he would donate his own service as his contribution to the memorial to Bishop Brent, his friend from Philippine days.

Receive QMC Surplus

UNDER instructions from the Chief Coordinator, The Quartermaster General, Maj. Gen. B. Frank Cheatham, has arranged for a transfer of 1,752 pairs of calf leggings, 2,434 pairs of cordovan leggings and 873 pairs of pigskin leggings to the Department of Justice for the use of the United States Industrial Reformatory at Chillicothe, Ohio, and for the transfer of 499 pairs of pigskin leggings and 176 pairs of boots to the Department of Interior for the use of the United States Geological Survey, Washington, D. C. All of the leggings transferred are of strap style.

L. C. Barkes to be first lieutenant, Inf.
J. L. Hitchings to be first lieutenant, AC.
K. C. Strother to be first lieutenant, Inf.
G. A. Millener to be first lieutenant, Inf.
D. F. Healy, jr., to be first lieutenant, FA.
G. H. Steel to be first lieutenant, AC.
R. A. Baker to be first lieutenant, Inf.
F. S. Kirkpatrick to be first lieutenant, FA.
G. W. Vaughn to be first lieutenant, FA.
P. Cooper to be first lieutenant, Inf.
L. K. Ladue to be first lieutenant, Cav.
R. Pulsifer to be first lieutenant, Inf.
L. C. Berry to be first lieutenant, Cav.
O. P. Bragan to be first lieutenant, Inf.
R. J. McBride to be first lieutenant, Inf.
C. W. Van Way, jr., to be first lieutenant, Inf.
H. D. McHugh to be first lieutenant, Inf.
W. H. Bertsch, jr., to be first lieutenant, FA.
G. J. Reid to be first lieutenant, FA.

OBITUARIES

Announcement of deaths should be addressed to Editorial Office, Army and Navy Journal, Architects Building, Washington, D. C.

BRIG. GEN. JOHN T. KNIGHT,

USA, Ret., died at Letterman General Hospital, San Francisco, Calif., Jan. 15, following an attack of pneumonia. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Edith Young Knight, who was with him at his death. The funeral arrangements have not been announced. Gen. Knight was from Farmville, Va., where he was prominently connected, but had made his home in San Francisco since his retirement in 1925. He entered the Military Academy from Virginia and was commissioned in the Cavalry in 1884, being transferred to the Quartermaster Corps in 1896. He served with the 3rd and 4th Cavalry regiments in Cuba and the Philippines, and during the World War he served as Quartermaster and General Superintendent of the Army Transport Service at Newport News, Va.; as Quartermaster Base No. 5, Brest, France, and as Assistant and Chief Quartermaster of the American Expeditionary Forces. For these services he was awarded the Distinguished Service Medal. In 1923 he was promoted to the grade of Brigadier General, to be Assistant to the Quartermaster General, with station in Washington, where he remained until his retirement for age in 1925.

Comdr. Asaph Hall, Jr., USN, retired, stationed at the Naval Observatory, Washington, D. C., for nearly a quarter of a century, died Jan. 12, 1930, at the Naval Hospital in Philadelphia after a month's illness.

His fame as an astronomer equalled that of his father, who became internationally known for his discoveries of moons around Mars during observations in 1879 at the Washington observatory.

At three different periods he was stationed at the Naval Observatory. He was appointed assistant in 1882 immediately after receiving the bachelor of arts degree from Harvard University.

In 1885 he left to become assistant astronomer at the Yale Observatory and to study for the degree of doctor of philosophy. Again he came to the Naval Observatory, leaving in 1892 to become director of the University of Michigan Observatory.

The Naval Observatory obtained his services again in 1905, appointing him professor of mathematics with rank of lieutenant. He remained until last June 30 when he retired with the rank of commander.

Interment was at Arlington National Cemetery.

Capt. Elwood M. S. Steward, Inf., USA, died at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., Jan. 11, 1930.

Capt. Steward was born in Carlinville, Ill., Nov. 21, 1891. He was appointed 2nd lieutenant, Infantry Section, ORC, Aug. 15, 1917; vacated Nov. 13, 1917; appointed 2nd lieutenant of Inf., Regular Army, Oct. 26, 1917; accepted Nov. 13, 1917; promoted 1st lieutenant Oct. 26, 1917; captain July 1, 1920. He received an A. B. at Blackburn College, Illinois in 1911, and an LL.B., at Washington University, Missouri, in 1914.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Mary A. W. Steward, his daughter, Martha Ann Steward, his mother, Mrs. W. H. Steward and sister, Miss Helen R. Steward, of Carlinville, Ill.

Lt. Col. DeWitt C. T. Grubbs, GSC, USA, died at Omaha, Nebr., Jan. 16, of concussion of the brain resulting from an automobile and train collision in Omaha, where he was stationed at the Headquarters of the Seventh Corps Area.

Col. Grubbs was born in Shelby City, Ky., May 14, 1880. He received an A. B. degree at Centre College, Kentucky, in 1900, and entered the U. S. Military Academy June 11, 1901,

Japanese Language Study

THE Bureau of Navigation has called to the attention of junior officers the opportunity presented to study the Japanese language. Each year the Navy Department selects two officers for this instruction. The officers selected are sent to Tokyo for a three-year course, usually leaving the United States in August of the year they are assigned to duty.

The following qualifications are set forth for the information of officers who are interested in this detail so as to preclude requests being submitted by those who do not meet these conditions:

(1) That an officer be unmarried. Experience has indicated that the disadvantage to the married officer and his family are so numerous, without any corresponding advantages, that he should not be selected for this duty unless possessing some very technical qualification which makes his detail desirable. Disadvantages of the married officer for this duty included the use of too much English, constant diversion from study, lack of freedom to go out and mix with the natives, and the high cost of living incident to the support of a family.

(2) That an officer be between the ages of 25 and 30. It has been found that younger officers can absorb the language far more easily than older ones.

(3) That an officer be not below the rank of lieutenant (junior grade). The cost of living in Japan is so high that an officer below the rank of lieutenant (junior grade) finds his living expenses all but beyond his means. Detail of ensigns is precluded by the Bureau policy which requires all officers to have at least five years at sea after graduation before becoming eligible for this duty.

The general past record and reputation of applicants for Japanese language instruction will be made the subject of closest investigation. Linguistic ability may be of assistance to the student in coping with certain difficulties, but does not indicate a certain predisposition to success in mastering the Japanese language. A good memory and an ability to devote at least ten hours a day to concentrated study are quite as important attributes for this work as a linguistic bent.

Cite Capt. J. F. Cotter

THE War Department this week announced the citation of former Capt. J. F. Cotter, of Council Bluffs, Ia., for gallantry in action with the A. E. F.

Serving as a first lieutenant with the 168th Infantry, 42nd Div., he rescued three wounded comrades under heavy caliber artillery fire near Suippes, France, July 15, 1918.

Cav. Troop to Camp Knox

ONE troop of Cavalry from Ft. Oglethorpe will march this summer to Camp Knox, Ky., for duty during the encampment period, according to orders issued this week.

where he was commissioned second lieutenant of Infantry June 13, 1905; promoted first lieutenant March 11, 1911; captain July 1, 1916; major (temporary) Aug. 5, 1917; assigned to QMC from Oct. 3, 1927 to March 20, 1918; vacated the temporary rank of major Oct. 14, 1918; promoted major July 1, 1920; transferred to Ordnance Dept. Oct. 4, 1921; during the World War he served in the grades of major and lieutenant colonel from Aug. 5, 1917 to date of honorable discharge, March 29, 1920; promoted lieutenant colonel, Regular Army, 1929; placed on the General Staff Corps Eligible List; member of the General Staff Corps since May 9, 1926; honor graduate of the Command and General Staff School, 1924; graduate of School of the Line, 1922; Ordnance School, Course II, 1923.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Caroline H. Grubbs, who is traveling in Europe and at present at Puerto De Pollensa, Mallorca, Spain.

May Pay Delegates' Way

AMERICAN delegates to the sixth International Congress of Military Medicine and Pharmacy to be held in Budapest, Hungary, in May, 1931, may have their expenses paid by the Government, if legislation now pending in Congress goes through.

Ever since 1921, when the first Congress was called by the King of Belgium, meeting at Brussels, representatives of the United States who attended the meetings have paid all their own expenses. At the past three congresses delegations appointed by the President of the United States have gone abroad, but under the circumstances it has been hardly possible for doctors of the regular service to attend.

The bill introduced in the House of Representatives this week would authorize the appropriation of \$10,000 to pay the expenses of American representatives to future Congresses. The Association of Military Surgeons which is backing the bill, nominates the delegates for the President's approval and in the past it has been necessary to only send retired or reserve officers of the Army and Navy and officers of the National Guard.

During the five previous congresses held in Europe every two years since 1921, much progress has been made in forwarding the military medicine. This field of the medical profession is apt to be neglected in peace time, and the opportunity afforded by the meetings of exchanging information and discussing problems, such as the care of wounds, and the evacuation of the wounded, are of great value.

Previous congresses have been held at Brussels, Rome, Paris, Warsaw, and London.

Army Orders

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Air Corps—1st Lt. T. J. Koenig to Capt., Sept. 4; 1st Lt. G. Gardner to Capt., Sept. 9; 1st Lt. A. C. Kincaid to Capt., Sept. 19; 1st Lt. O. O. Niergarth to Capt., Oct. 2; 1st Lt. R. N. Ott to Capt., Nov. 4; 2nd Lt. L. H. Rodieck to 1st Lt., Sept. 14; 2nd Lt. J. L. Hitchings to 1st Lt., Sept. 16; 2nd Lt. G. H. Steel to 1st Lt., Sept. 19; 2nd Lt. E. H. White to 1st Lt., Oct. 5; 2nd Lt. W. O. Eareckson to 1st Lt., Oct. 19; 2nd Lt. R. W. Gibson to 1st Lt., Oct. 25. Medical Corps—Capt. T. B. Colline to Maj., Sept. 18; Capt. W. C. Cox to Maj., Oct. 30; Capt. F. V. Kilgore to Maj., Oct. 30; Capt. J. F. Leiberman to Maj., Nov. 3; Capt. C. M. Redig to Maj., Dec. 15. Dental Corps—Capt. D. S. Lockwood to Maj., Dec. 11.

Orders to NCO

Sgt. W. J. Williams, appointed this date from private, detailed as orderly for Ch. of Staff; he will remain on pres. duties and attached to Service Det., Wash., D. C. Sgt. G. E. Hall, from further duty as orderly for Ch. of Staff and transferred in grade of private to Service Det., Wash., D. C.

Tech. Sgt. E. L. Thomson to Finance Sch., Rm. 2101 Tempo. Bldg., No. 5, 21st and B Sts., Wash., D. C., as stud.

Transfer

2nd Lt. F. F. Everest, jr., FA, to AC, Nov. 21, announced; he will remain on pres. duties.

Retirement of Enlisted Men

Staff Sgt. M. J. Eberhardt, DEML, at Univ. of Ky., Lexington, Ky.

1st Sgt. W. W. Bradberry, Co. L, th Inf., at Vancouver Bks., Wash.

Mstr. Sgt. J. F. Smyth, AC, at Bolling Fld., Wash., D. C.

1st Sgt. J. Komurke, Tr. E, 7th Cav., at Ft. Bliss, Tex.

Mstr. Sgt. R. A. Schellin, QMC, at Ft. Slocum, N. Y.

Organized Reserves

1st Lt. T. G. Hughes, Spec-Res., to active duty, Feb. 17, to Buffalo, N. Y., for training, AC procurement planning representative.

1st Lt. K. A. Ryerson, CF-Res., to active duty Jan. 16, to Wash. D. C., for training with Ch. of Engrs.

To Raze Grant Hall

West Point (Special)—Doomed by the march of progress historic Grant Hall, better known as the old mess hall, has been turned over to the desecrating hands of wreckers by Maj. Gen. William R. Smith, superintendents of the academy, and within the next month will be a thing of the past. Opened in 1852 by Robert E. Lee, then superintendent, the old building became a definite part of cadet life. Soon it will be only a tradition. Since its opening 7250 graduates, 4900 of whom are still living, entered its portals three times a day for their "chow."

Originally constructed to provide mess facilities for 300 cadets, the total strength in 1852, the building was enlarged in 1903 so that over 1200 were accommodated. Every available inch of space was utilized yet the building was inadequate and a new mess hall known as Washington Hall was completed last year.

According to Gen. Smith everything from Grant Hall that is salvagable will be saved and some day the hewn granite blocks will again arise to house some cadet activity.

Births, Marriages and Deaths

BORN.

BARTLETT—Born at Tripler General Hospital, Honolulu, T. H., Dec. 23, 1929, to Lt. Laurence W. Bartlett, CAC, USA, and Mrs. Bartlett, a son, Donald Henderson Bartlett.

GAGNE—Born at William Beaumont Hospital, El Paso, Tex., Jan. 7, 1930, to Lt. James V. Gagne, USA, and Mrs. Gayne, a daughter, Jane Elizabeth.

HALPINE—Born at Honolulu, T. H., Nov. 27, 1929, to Lt. N. J. Halpine, SC, USN, and Mrs. Halpine, a daughter, Mary Louise.

JACKSON—Born at St. John's Hospital, Fargo, N. D., Jan. 7, 1930, to Capt. George A. Jackson, Inf., DOL, and Mrs. Jackson, a daughter.

MCARTHUR—Born at San Antonio, Tex., Jan. 10, 1930, to Mr. and Mrs. John C. McArthur, a son, John Campbell, grandson of the late Col. John C. McArthur, USA, and Mrs. McArthur.

SCHWEICKERT—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Dec. 17, 1929, to Capt. Graham R. Schweickert, USA, and Mrs. Schweickert, a son, David MacDonald.

STORKE—Born at Fayetteville, N. C., Jan. 11, 1930, to 2nd Lt. Harry P. Storke, USA, and Mrs. Storke, a daughter, Lois Maribelle Storke.

MARRIED.

BROWN-HANCKEL—Married at Old St. Paul's Church, Norfolk, Va., Dec. 23, 1929. Miss Cary Rosebrooke Hankel, to Ens. John Thompson Brown, 3d, USN.

CORMAN-ANDERSON—Married in Washington, D. C., Jan. 6, 1930. Miss Margaret Louise Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Peyton Anderson, to Lt. Harry Corman, USN, now attached to the USS Arizona.

DuBOISE-REED—Married at the Community Church, Beverly Hills, Calif., Dec. 23, 1929. Miss Margaret Reed, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Reed, of Riverside, Calif., to Lt. Thomas Jefferson DuBose, USA.

RIGGS-SYMMONDS—Married at St. Clement's Episcopal Church, El Paso, Tex., Jan. 11, 1930. Miss Phyllis Symmonds, daughter of Brig. Gen. Charles J. Symmonds, USA, and Mrs. Symmonds, to Lt. Scott Riggs, USA, son of Lt. Col. Kerr T. Riggs, USA, and Mrs. Riggs of Ft. Bliss, Tex.

VENTRIS DUNLAP—Married in Haiti, P. R., Jan. 14, 1930. Miss Sarah Dunlap, daughter Mrs. Betty Dunlap to Lt. Daniel B. Ventris, USN, stationed at Jacmel Beach, Haiti.

DIED.

ALCOTT—Died at Denver, Colo., Jan. 5, 1930. Capt. Philo Alcott, USA.

CONNOLLY—Died at Springfield, Mass., Jan. 2, 1930, after a brief illness of pneumonia, Miss Nellie A. Connolly, sister of Col. P. A. Connolly, USA, retired, and Lt. Col. William J. Connolly, Inf., USA; aunt of Lt. Joseph A. Connolly, USN, on duty in the Bureau of Navigation, Washington, D. C.

DALY—Died at the family residence, 25 Glasgow Street, Rochester, N. Y., Jan. 6, 1930. Mrs. Catherine A. Daly, mother of Capt. David J. Daly, USA, stationed at Ft. Meade, Md.

GRINDLEY—Died Dec. 23, 1929. Mstr. Sgt. William C. Grindley, USA, ret., former member of the Quartermaster detachment at Ft. Benning, Ga.

GRUBBS—Died at Omaha, Nebr., Jan. 16, 1930. Lt. Col. Dewitt C. T. Grubbs, GSC, USA.

HALL—Died at the Naval Hospital, Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 12, 1930. Comdr. Asaph Hall, Jr., USN, retired. Interment in Arlington National Cemetery.

KNIGHT—Died at Letterman General Hospital, San Francisco, Calif., Jan. 15, 1930. Brig. Gen. John T. Knight, USA, retired.

SHIELDS—Died at Franklin Hospital, San Francisco, Calif., Dec. 30, 1929. Dr. John W. Shields, head of Letterman General Hospital during the World War.

STEWART—Died at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., Jan. 11, 1930. Capt. Elwood M. S. Stewart, Inf., USA.

TWIGG—Died at Germantown, Jan. 9, 1930. Mrs. Georgia Twigg, mother of Chief Machinist William Twigg, USN.

WALSH—Died at his son's residence, 202 East Capital Street, Washington, D. C., Jan. 10, 1930. Lt. (jg) John J. Walsh, USN, retired. Interment at Arlington National Cemetery.

WILLIAMS—Died at Baltimore, Md., Dec. 11, 1929. Judge Thomas John Chew Williams, father of the late Lt. Ferdinand Williams, CE, USA, and Capt. Henry Williams, CE, USN.

Glide From Los Angeles

PREPARATIONS are now being made for launching a glider from the Los Angeles. The test flights will be made at Lakehurst by Lt. R. S. Barnaby. The glider to be used is of the secondary training type, known as the "Pruffing," and was obtained from the American Motorless Aviation Corporation of New York City. It is of the same type as that used by Lt. Barnaby in his soaring flights at Cape Cod last summer. The glider is completely assembled, and the structure which secures it to the airship is being built.

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Engagements

MR. AND MRS. W. A. KIRKLAND, of Vallejo, Calif., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Alice Cameron Kirkland, to Midshipman John Corbus. Miss Kirkland is the granddaughter of the late Rear Adm. W. A. Kirkland, former commandant of the Mare Island Navy Yard.

Midshipman Corbus is a nephew of Lt. Comdr. R. I. Longabaugh, USN, retired, of Vallejo.

The marriage will take place at St. Peter's Chapel, Mare Island shortly after Midshipman Corbus' graduation from the Naval Academy next June.

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Mrs. Alexia Vicars to Lt. Harry Clay Mewshaw, Cav., USA, stationed at Ft. Bliss, Tex. Mrs. Vicars is a sister of Mrs. Harold Thompson, wife of Maj. Harold Thompson, Cav., USA.

Capt. G. Livingston Thompson, USA, and Mrs. Thompson have announced the engagement of their niece, Miss Helen Benton Stonebraker, and Capt. Marion Carson, Cav., USA, now stationed at Fort Riley, Kans. The wedding will take place on February 12, in St. John's Church, Brooklyn, N. Y.

SERVICE SOCIAL NEWS

ANNOUNCEMENTS of Personals, Entertainments, Engagements, Weddings, and Births requested. Address Society Editor, Army and Navy Journal, 1800 E Street Northwest, Washington, D. C.

Personals

MISS JANE CROSBY, daughter of Maj. Gen. Herbert Crosby, Chief of Cavalry, and Mrs. Crosby, will leave Washington on Jan. 30 on a tour of several cavalry posts. She will visit her brother, Lt. George Crosby, at Ft. Riley, Kans., going later to Ft. Sill, Okla., and to Ft. Oglethorpe, Ga. On her way to Ft. Riley Miss Crosby will go to Cedar Rapids, Iowa, to visit the Misses Julia and Anna Robbins, daughters of Col. Charles B. Robbins, former Assistant Secretary of War.

Maj. and Mrs. John A. Jouett, of Ft. Crockett, Tex., presented Miss Marian Doherty, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. James F. Doherty, to society at a tea at their quarters on Sunday, Jan. 5. Mrs. Jouett was charming in an exquisite black fish net gown, and the honor guest was lovely in an ecru lace creation with three tiers of lace flounces in the skirt. There were about three hundred guests present.

Mrs. Brady G. Ruttencutter, wife of Col. Brady G. Ruttencutter, USA, re-

tired, has returned to her home 3700 Massachusetts Avenue, Washington, D. C., having spent the past week in New York City as the guest of friends and was entertained very much while there.

Col. and Mrs. George A. Nugent, of Ft. Monroe, Va., entertained New Year's afternoon at a most charming reception for the post and friends in Hampton, Newport News and Norfolk. The ladies assisting were Mes. F. H. Lincoln, Herricks, Heskette, Roberts, Simmons, Hastings, Stone and Misses Harriet Todd, Bess Armstrong, and Elizabeth Nugent.

Mrs. John M. Lay, of Portland, Ore., is a guest of Col. and Mrs. Brady G. Ruttencutter at their home, 3700 Massachusetts Avenue, Washington, D. C. Mrs. Ruttencutter is giving many charming affairs for Mrs. Lay, who leaves in a few weeks for her home, New York City, where she has many friends who are planning to entertain in her honor.

Lt. Laurence W. Bartlett, CAC, USA, and Mrs. Bartlett announce the birth of a son, Donald Henderson, born at Tripler General Hospital, Honolulu, T. H. on Dec. 23.

Maj. Gen. Millard A. Holbrook, has started for a three month's Mediterranean cruise, taking the White Star Liner *Laurentic* for Europe on Jan. 9. Maj. Gen. Holbrook sailed from New York.

Mrs. Seth W. Cook and her daughter, Miss Marie Cook, are living at 1740 18th Street, N. W., Washington, D. C.

Capt. J. R. McNiel, Finance Department, USA, and Mrs. McNiel, announce the birth of a daughter, Margaret Pauline, born at the Station Hospital, Fort Sam Houston, Tex., on Dec. 28.

Col. and Mrs. Russell C. Langdon entertained at luncheon on January 12 in their apartment at 534 Park avenue, East Orange, N. J., in honor of Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Otho B. Rosenbaum. Thirty-six guests were present, mostly connected with the Seventy-eighth Division, of which Gen. Rosenbaum is commander and Col. Langdon is chief of staff.

Mrs. Julien Jaquelin Mason of Washington, D. C., and Miss Rowland Baylor of New York City, will arrive at France Field, C. Z., on January 24, to spend several weeks with Lt. Col. and Mrs. James A. Mars.

Lt. Harry P. Storke, USA, and Mrs. Storke announce the birth of a daughter, Louise Maribelle Storke, born January 11, at Fayetteville, N. C.

Capt. Graham R. Schweickert, USA, and Mrs. Schweickert announce the birth of a son, David MacDonald, born at Walter Reed General Hospital on December 17.

Gen. and Mrs. C. J. Symmonds are leaving Fort Bliss, Tex., for Washington, D. C., where Gen. Symmonds will enter Walter Reed Hospital about Jan. 21, for observation and treatment. The wedding of their daughter, Miss Phyllis Symmonds had been set for February, but owing to the illness of her father was held Jan. 11. After Jan. 21 Mrs. Symmonds will be at home to her many friends in Washington at the Hostess House at Walter Reed.

Flight Training Average

AN analysis of the Elimination Training conducted at the Naval Air Station, Hampton Roads, Va., during the past year shows that 77.88 per cent of the 113 officers taking the course passed.

During the first quarter of 1929 only 3 officers started flight training and all three passed. The second three months 29 officers took the course and 17 failed, an average of 58.62 per cent for the quarter. During the summer months the high average of 88.4 per cent was set, 30 out of 34 officers successfully completing the course. The last quarter 47 students took the course with 80.85 per cent passing.

Three hundred and seventy-four enlisted men started the elimination flight training during the past year, of which 152, or 40.64 per cent passed.

Weddings

ST. CLEMENT'S Episcopal church, El Paso, Tex., was the scene of an unusually pretty wedding Saturday afternoon, Jan. 11, at 4:30 o'clock, when Miss Phyllis Symmonds, daughter of Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Charles J. Symmonds, USA, became the bride of Lt. Scott Riggs, USA, son of Lt. Col. and Mrs. Kerr T. Riggs, USA, of Ft. Bliss. The rector, Rev. Clarence Horner, performed the ceremony in the presence of a large number of guests. The altar before which the vows were read was banked with ferns and smilax, interspersed with white sweet peas and candy tuft.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was beautiful in her wedding gown of egg shell satin, trimmed with chantilly and fashioned on princess lines, with a court train. Her veil was of carrickmacross lace arranged in cap effect with a wreath of orange blossoms. The bridal bouquet was a shower of bride's roses and lilies of the valley.

Little Miss Ann Riggs, sister of the groom, was the demure flower girl. She was attired in embroidered velvet with touches of French blue, with bonnet to match, and carried a basket of spring flowers. Miss Blanche Roe, the maid of honor, wore a frock of burnt orange chiffon made in the prevailing mode, with a huge satin bow as a side trimming. Her hat and shoes were of a matching shade and her flowers pastel rose buds.

Mrs. Douglas G. Ludlam, matron of honor, was in chiffon of a slightly lighter shade than the maid of honor. Her gown was made on long lines with full skirt and a bow trimming the back of the V neck. Her large hat matched the gown and her flowers were pink rose buds.

George Riggs, of New York City, was his brother's best man, and the ushers were Lts. Verdi Barnes, John Billingsly, Paul Breden and John Allen. At the conclusion of the ceremony the ushers formed an arch of sabers under which the wedding party passed as they left the altar.

Preceding the ceremony, Walter Davis, church organist, played Schubert's Serenade. The bridal party approached and left the altar to the strains of Lohengrin and Mendelssohn.

Mrs. Symmonds, mother of the bride, was becomingly gowned in gray lace and chiffon, with a hat of blue, and Mrs. Riggs, mother of the groom, was charming in henna chiffon worn with a black hat.

Following the wedding a reception was held at the quarters of the commanding general for the bridal party, the immediate families and the official family.

Following a short motor trip the bride and groom will be at home at quarters No. 501, Ft. Bliss.

The marriage of Miss Cary Rosebrooke Hanckel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Cary Hanckel, of Norfolk, Va., to Ens. John Thompson Brown, 3d, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Thompson Brown of Rock Hill, S. C., took place Saturday evening, Dec. 28 at old St. Paul's Church with Dr. H. H. Covington officiating. The church was decorated with Christmas greens, cathedral candles and white roses and the wedding music was played by Mr. Anders, organist of the church.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore her mother's wedding gown of ivory satin, trimmed with point lace and made with long sleeves and a train. Her veil of antique tulle was arranged cap shape and was caught at each side with the orange blossoms worn by her mother and her aunt, Mrs. Harold Lewis Lowry, at their weddings. She carried her mother's prayer book showered with lilies of the valley and wore the pearls, worn by her mother on her wedding day. The maid of honor was Miss Mary Elizabeth Nixon and the bridesmaids were Misses Georgianna Charrington Whittle and Miss Jill Brown, of Rock Hill, S. C., a sister of the groom. They wore gowns of red satin made very long with capes and red satin slippers and they all carried arm bouquets of yapon berries (Please turn to Back Page)

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Shopping for Service Folk
By Olivia Moreland Lloyd

EGYPTIAN WOMEN HAVE NEW BURST OF SPEED. If you do not get the idea I'll clarify the situation by 'rising to remark that the women of Egypt are coming into their own, what's more, they are going into cafes and that, in their country, is treading where angels refuse to "be seen." They sit at little tables, smoke American cigarettes, drink cocktails, adjust their orbs (heaven sent eyes we read about) and watch the windy corners where their males, quailing in astonishment, pass humbly by. So far they have not discarded their native costumes for a later style, but that undoubtedly will come next. SPOUSES STAND BY.

A JAUNT through Europe for the busiest. Five countries, France, Germany, Switzerland, Holland and England, including 31 days for \$390.00 there and return. Miss Elizabeth Persons, Manager for the Drake Co., will personally conduct one of these tours in August. The SS Lapland sails from New York July 11. July 20 Paris via Cherbourg, July 21 free to shop, July 22 sightseeing, July 23 Paris, free, 24 free, 25th Munich, 26th Oberammergau, 27th Passion Play, 28th Coblenz, 30th Cologne, 31st London, Aug. 1st London, Aug. 2nd sail from Liverpool for home.

WAS it Sasanova who said, love blossoms and tender hearts grow yet more tender when enjoying good food? Well, that's just a pretty way of saying the road to a man's heart is through his stomach. NOW—if your particular boy friend is a bit off his food take him straight way to THE COPPER BOWL where the cuisine is of noteworthy excellence, close your eyes, taste and your back at the Cafe de Paris. Their incomparable fare and skill is due to long experience and careful choosing of sugar and spice and everything nice. Their cakes are of the finest ingredients. They serve charming mysteries of en-caseroles dishes. If your fortune failed to come true the last time, try it again tomorrow afternoon when the tea leaves are being read.

ANOTHER GREAT SALE is on at THE HECHT CO. The kind you and I have learned to expect. This time it's on substantially reduced Women's and Misses' coats (3rd floor). You will be fascinated by the bewildering models in these wraps and find yourself carried along in a glow of interest then—to possess one means real comfort and happiness. They are of the very latest fashion, so please be good enough to read, mark and inwardly digest the prices I am giving here. Black Broadcloth, trimmed with Wolf, Caracul and Kit-Fox. All sizes for \$25.00, but were formerly sold at \$39.75 and \$49.50—another lot for women and misses in black and colors are selling for \$59.75, were formerly \$79.50 and \$89.50. Again let me impress upon you that they are the Seasons most successful modes fashioned of rich cloth and trimmed with Lapin, Skunk, Caracul and Kit-Fox. Then bear in mind THE HECHT CO. belongs to THE ARMY AND NAVY ASSOCIATION OF STORES.

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ZLOTNICK'S FUR SALE of this month surpasses anything they have ever offered the public of Washington. Exceptional values are always of paramount interest to the carefully calculating women, their selection and judgment are such as to enable them to possess several neck pieces and wraps at the same time. This display of FURS is so pleasing, flattering and reasonable, DON'T allow the time to pass without going there.

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WASHINGTON AND VICINITY

Jan. 18, 1930

The Chief of Staff, U. S. Army, and Mrs. Charles P. Summerall and their son and daughter-in-law, Lt. and Mrs. Charles P. Summerall, Jr., were hosts at a dinner party Thursday evening in honor of Miss Mary Ingraham Henry, debutante daughter of the commandant of Ft. Myer and Mrs. Guy V. Henry. The dinner preceded the hop at the post.

The Chinese Minister and Mme. Wu gave a reception Thursday afternoon in honor of Adm. Hsi Kuei Tu of the Chinese Navy, who is here for a short stay while visiting this country to inspect the naval stations and navy yards. Wednesday evening Adm. Hsi Kuei Tu and his staff, with members of the legation staff, dined with the Minister. The admiral is accompanied by his aides, Comdr. S. C. Whang and Lt. Comdr. M. H. Ching, and his two secretaries, Mr. Hollington K. Tong and Mr. K. C. Kaa. The admiral and his staff have called on the Acting Secretary of State, Mr. Cotton, and the Acting Secretary of the Navy, Mr. Jahncke, and the chief of naval operations, Adm. Charles F. Hughes, and Thursday, accompanied by the Chinese Minister, Mr. Wu, they were received by President Hoover.

Col. Guy V. Henry, commandant of Ft. Myer, has arranged exhibition rides of the Third Cavalry and Sixteenth Field Artillery. The first one commenced on Friday, Jan. 17, and others will also be held on Friday, Jan. 24; Thursday, Jan. 30; Friday, Feb. 7; Thursday, Feb. 13; Friday, Feb. 21; Friday, Mar. 7, and Friday, Mar. 14. These rides, for which the Ft. Myer garrison is famous, are held in the riding hall at 2:50 o'clock. Reservations may be made by letter or by telephone to the adjutant, Ft. Myer.

The eighth annual Polo Ball will be held the night of April 21, according to an announcement made by the War Department Polo Club. Coming on the first Monday after Lent, the affair promises to be of unusual brilliance.

Gen. Charles P. Summerall, Chief of Staff, will head the Polo Ball Committee as Honorary Chairman.

Comdr. and Mrs. Gaylord Church were hosts at dinner Thursday evening preceding the third of the series of Navy and Marine Corps dances in the Willard. Among others who entertained at dinner before the dances were Comdr. and Mrs. Edward C. Raugel, Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. H. R. Delaney, Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. R. R. Gasser and Capt. and Mrs. B. C. Allen.

WEST POINT, N. Y.

Jan. 18, 1930

This week's social calendar at the garrison was as usual at this time of the year, a very full and interesting one, including many bridge dinners and luncheons.

Maj. Gen. and Mrs. William R. Smith entertained on Friday with a dinner.

Mrs. Thomas A. Terry honored Mrs. Farman, mother of Mrs. Robert C. Richardson, with a luncheon on Wednesday.

Col. and Mrs. Clifton C. Carter entertained at dinner recently.

Col. and Mrs. Rex H. Rhoades were hosts at dinner on Friday for eight.

Lt. Col. and Mrs. Sherburne Whipple had ten guests for dinner on Thursday.

Lt. and Mrs. Jacob G. Sucher had dining with them on Friday evening Col. and Mrs. Clifton C. Carter and Capt. and Mrs. James L. Hayden.

Mrs. Albert C. Smith entertained the Contract Bridge Luncheon Club at her home on Thursday.

Mrs. Lucius H. Holt entertained the Tuesday Bridge Club at her home this week.

Lt. and Mrs. George M. Badger had four guests for dinner on Tuesday evening.

Lt. and Mrs. Joseph J. Billo entertained with an informal supper party on Sunday evening for five guests.

Maj. Thomas D. Finley and Mrs. Walter Finley entertained at dinner on Wednesday evening for seven.

On Sunday evening Maj. and Mrs. Hubert R. Harmon entertained with a dinner honoring the latter's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Manville Kendrick of Sheridan, Wyo.

Mrs. Chauncey L. Fenton returned on Monday, having passed several days with her father in Bridgeport, Conn.

Lt. Col. Sherburne Whipple, Maj. I. Sasse, Capt. A. J. Tourant, Capt. McC. Jones, and Mr. Frank Wandell, have been the guests during the past week of Mr. William Huffman of Congress, N. Y., at his shooting club on the Potomac.

Capt. and Mrs. Leslie Babcock of Newburgh entertained at bridge recently.

The Cadet Choir, consisting of one hundred and sixty-five voices, departed on Saturday for New York, where they are the guests of St. Thomas's church. Accompanied by Lt. Joseph A. Cranston,

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officer in charge, the cadets are staying at the Hotel Astor. On Sunday afternoon they will take part in the four o'clock service in the Church of St. Thomas on Fifth Avenue. Mr. Frederick B. Mayer, organist of the Cadet Chapel, will conduct the choir, which will sing "The Corps," "Alma Mater," and an anthem. Chap. Arthur B. Kinsolving will be the visiting minister for the service.

Miss Lillian Whiteside entertained for her guest, Miss Becky Lanier, of Greenwich, Conn., with a dinner on Saturday evening.

Lt. and Mrs. Charles H. Barth of Highland Falls gave one of the large parties of the week on Tuesday.

Miss Becky Lanier of Greenwich, Connecticut, has been the guest during the last week of Miss Lillian Whiteside.

Mrs. Clovis E. Byers returned recently, after a visit of several weeks with her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Richards, in Columbus, O.

Lt. Donald A. Fay returned Wednesday from a week's visit with his mother, Mrs. A. F. Fay, Urbana, Ill.

Mrs. de Graffenreid, from Marshall, Texas, arrived on Monday for a visit with Maj. and Mrs. Richard M. Levy.

Mrs. Robert W. Raynsford departed Wednesday for Washington, D. C., where she will pass several weeks as the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. George T. Marshall.

Lt. Robert R. Raymond had as his guest for the week-end his sister, Mrs. C. M. Burlingame of Englewood, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward M. Speare of Englewood, N. J., visited with their daughter and son-in-law, Lt. and Mrs. Charles H. Barth, over the week-end.

Lt. W. Mason Wright spent the week-end in New York on business in connection with the production of Alvert Miller's "Journey's End" at West Point.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Kyle of Cleveland, O., were the guests of Lt. and Mrs. Courtland V. R. Schuyler on Sunday.

Lt. Lewis Stone Sorley of New Brunswick, N. J., passed Saturday and Sunday with Lt. Frank G. Davis.

WASHINGTON BARRACKS, D. C.

Jan. 14, 1930

The holidays passed most delightfully for all on this post, and the New Year was ushered in very auspiciously with the usual Army New Year's eve hop, which was held at the officers' club of the Army War College. The regular routine was observed at this hop that is practiced at all posts.

A number of Midshipmen from Annapolis and Cadets from West Point were visitors on the post during the holidays. A hop was tendered these welcome young gentlemen at the officers' club.

Cadet Troup Miller, Jr., of West Point, had two classmates as his house guests at the home of his parents, Col. and Mrs. Troup Miller; Cadet Fred Wing, son of Col. Franklin F. Wing, and Cadet Dick Parker, son of Col. Parker, all of the first class.

Miss Charlotte Adams of Atlanta, Ga., spent the holidays as a guest of Miss Rosa Miller, daughter of Col. and Mrs. Troup Miller.

Capt. and Mrs. Richard B. Gayle had the pleasure of having their brother, Cadet W. C. Sweeney of the U. S. Military Academy as their house guest during vacation time.

Maj. Gen. Peyton C. March, who has been spending some years abroad since his retirement as Adjutant General, USA was the dinner guest Tuesday night of Maj. Gen. and Mrs. William D. Connor.

An enjoyable dinner dance was held in the officers' club on Friday evening, last.

Col. and Mrs. W. B. McCaskey have been house guests of Mrs. William P. Kitts, from Col. McCaskey's station at State College, Pa.

Mrs. H. W. Blanc of Louisville, Ky., is visiting her son and daughter, Maj. and Mrs. Simon B. Buckner, at No. 1 Instructor's Row. Maj. Buckner is executive officer of the Army War College.

Mr. Davis Chaffin, who is attending the Shenandoah Valley Academy at Winchester, Va., spent the holiday season with his parents on the post.

Lt. H. W. Lystad, who has relieved Capt. Richard B. Gayle as exchange officer, and other duties, with Mrs. Lystad and daughter Ann, have taken the cottage to the southeast of the parade recently occupied by Capt. and Mrs. Gayle and young Master Gayle. Lt. Lystad comes from Peking, China, where he served with the 15th Infantry, spending five and a half years in the Orient.

Mrs. Edward S. Busby of Chicago,

mother of Mrs. H. O. Swindler, is spending the winter with her daughter and Capt. Swindler.

Mrs. L. B. Swindler of Urbana, Ill., mother of Capt. H. O. Swindler, has returned to her home after spending a year with her family here.

Mrs. Frank H. Hayne entertained with one table at bridge at their quarters, 3 B. Lt. Tyree Horn, SC, of Ft. Monmouth, N. J., has been a house guest of Col. and Mrs. J. A. Moss.

Maj. Edgar F. Haines, MC, and Mrs. Haines, are entertaining as their house guests Mrs. H. E. Darling and Miss Nancy Darling, of Boston, Mass.

Maj. and Mrs. Haines entertained most beautifully at an afternoon tea in compliment to Mrs. and Miss Darling, at which the post attended en masse and many friends from the city were present.

Maj. and Mrs. L. L. Pendleton have as their house guests their nieces, Misses Ellen and Jean Pendleton of New York. The student officers of the Class of 1929-1930, gave a reception and ball in compliment to the commandant of the Army War College, his staff and officers of the faculty of the College, on Jan. 8, at the officers' club.

Maj. O. S. Wood is one of the student officers of this year's class at the Army War College.

FT. BENNING, GA.

Jan. 14, 1930

COL. AND MRS. CLARENCE MANLY were "at home" on New Year's day. Their guests of honor were their house guests, Mr. and Mrs. Carl J. Baer of St. Louis.

The tea table was beautifully appointed with a lace cloth, a silver bowl which was filled with pink snapdragons and surrounded by pink candles burning in silver candlesticks. The lovely tea service was presided over by Mrs. E. G. Reinhardt.

More than a hundred friends called between the hours of four and six.

Maj. and Mrs. Thomas Taylor entertained at a dinner party given Wednesday night, Jan. 8, at Biglerville.

Their guests numbered 18.

Their guests were Mrs. Edgar Everhart, Mrs. William David McElhinney, Maj. and Mrs. Charles Steel, Capt. and Mrs. Raymond Sherman, Capt. and Mrs. Albert Helsley and Lt. and Mrs. Malcolm Kammerer.

Lt. and Mrs. Howard Brimmer had as their dinner guests on Thursday evening, Jan. 9, Col. George Marshall and Capt. and Mrs. Charles Bolte.

After dinner Lt. and Mrs. Brimmer escorted their guests to the theater.

The Tank Bridge Club met Tuesday, Jan. 7, in the Bridge Club rooms, Mrs. David Barr acting as hostess. There were four tables in play.

The Army Juniors of Fort Benning sponsored a dance Friday evening, Jan. 10, at the Polo Club from 9:30 until 1:30.

Music was furnished by Al Joseph's orchestra.

Miss Grace Johnson, who has been the attractive guest of Capt. and Mrs. Melvin Finney, has returned to her home in Athens, Ohio.

The Arts and Crafts Class of the Infantry School Women's Club will not meet on Wednesday, Jan. 22, due to Mrs. Cochran's absence.

The building in which these classes meet will be closed during her absence.

FT. BENJAMIN HARRISON, IND.

Jan. 14, 1930

A DANCE was given at the officers' club Friday night, Jan. 10, and was preceded by a number of dinner parties. Among those entertaining were Lt. and Mrs. A. D. Reid. Their guests numbered 34.

Lt. and Mrs. Richard Sears were hosts at dinner Friday night before the dance at the officers' club. Places were marked for six.

Mrs. Anna Grace of Pittsburgh, Pa., aunt of Mrs. R. E. Chambers, is the guest of Capt. and Mrs. Chambers.

The Eleventh Infantry Bridge Club met Monday at the officers' club with Maj. and Mrs. John P. Edgerly, Capt. and Mrs. S. M. Crim and Lt. G. E. Bush.

Mrs. W. F. Dalton and Mrs. Louis G. Weisman have issued invitations for a bridge tea to be given at the officers' club, Wednesday, Jan. 15.

A bridge tea will be given Thursday, Jan. 16, by Mrs. C. D. Parmelee, at her quarters, to compliment her mother, Mrs. Harless.

The contract bridge class met Monday evening at the officers' club at 7:30. Lt. G. W. Hartnell was the instructor.

Mrs. William Meade Dodge, mother of Mrs. Thomas C. Musgrave, has gone to Washington, after a visit with Col. and Mrs. Musgrave.

Mrs. John Mauk of Seattle, Wash., who with her husband, has been the guest of Capt. and Mrs. Thomas R. Gibson, was honored by a tea Saturday afternoon by Mrs. Marshall G. Randol, who was assisted in entertaining by her daughters, Lucy Lee and Betty Randol.

One hundred guests were entertained at a bridge dinner Wednesday night, Jan. 8, at the Officers Club, by Maj. and Mrs. A. W. Clearly and Capt. and Mrs. John C. Blizard. The decorations of the club were carried out in green and orange. The Eleventh Infantry orchestra played during the dinner hour for dancing between the serving of the

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ANNAPOLIS, MD.

Jan. 18, 1930

The increasing schedule of sports events at the Naval Academy offers a varied and interesting program for the winter months. The popularity of basketball games which began in December, will shortly be rivaled by boxing matches which will begin on the evening of Saturday, Jan. 18, at 8:30 o'clock, in the gymnasium. The first opponents will be of Dartmouth College. The second boxing match will not be held until Feb. 1, when Navy will compete against the University of New Hampshire, and six other matches will complete the boxing season, which continues through Mar. 15. The basketball games will, as usual, continue on Wednesday and Saturday afternoons, through Feb. 22, with several games being held out of town in the evenings. Besides these events, there is rifle, fencing, wrestling, and water polo, all beginning their series of matches this month. The first wrestling match will be held on Jan. 25 at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, with the University of North Carolina.

Both on Wednesday and Saturday afternoons, many informal "at homes" are held throughout the station following the sports events, and dinner hour preceding the boxing matches on Saturday is always a time of much entertaining.

The Commandant of midshipmen and Mrs. Charles Philip Snyder, were at home on Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 15, from 4:30 to 6:30 o'clock. There was dancing during the afternoon.

Capt. and Mrs. Snyder were also hosts on Jan. 10, at a dinner in compliment to the junior members of Capt. Snyder's department.

Lt. Comdr. Frederick G. Reinicke, graduate manager of athletics, and Mrs. Reinicke, were hosts on the evening of Jan. 10, at their quarters, at a dinner in honor of Rear Adm. and Mrs. Samuel S. Robison.

Mrs. George B. Keester was hostess on Tuesday afternoon at the second of her series of informal "at homes" to be held during January, at her home on Duke of Gloucester Street. The hours were from 4 to 6 o'clock.

Mrs. Middleton Semmes Guest, who is spending some time with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Walsh in the Colonial apartment, will sail on Jan. 24, on the steamship "Homer" for a tour of Spain, France, and other countries on the continent.

Mrs. John Bowers was hostess on the evening of Jan. 11, at an attractive bridge party honoring Miss Annie Clay, who is the guest of Mrs. Nevett Steele, and Mrs. John Halligan, who has returned to Annapolis during Capt. Halligan's absence south.

Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. John Harrison Colhoun entertained on Saturday evening, Jan. 11, at their country home "Windsore Farms," on West River, at a dinner party.

Mrs. Frank L. Pinney has returned to Annapolis and will spend some time at the Peggy Stewart Inn, to be near her son, who is attending the Severn Preparatory School.

Mrs. George Franklin Good, Jr., and two children, and Mrs. Good's mother, Mrs. Daniel M. Garrison, have moved to the Peggy Stewart Inn during the absence of Lt. Good.

Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. Paul Albright, DC, have taken the house at 26 Thompson Street formerly occupied by Lt. and Mrs. Good.

Capt. and Mrs. Arthur W. Dunbar were hosts at the last of their series of "at homes" on last Wednesday afternoon, at their quarters at the Naval Hospital.

Miss Augusta Wattenscheidt entertained at a bridge party on the evening of Jan. 10, at her home in Murray Hill, in honor of Mrs. Robert B. Goldman and Mrs. James Walker Hager.

Mrs. Donald Giles and son, who have been spending sometime at Old Point Comfort, Va., to be with Lt. Giles, who has gone south with the fleet, have returned to Annapolis.

Mrs. Herndon B. Kelly is spending some time at Carvel Hall during the absence of Comdr. Kelly, who is on duty on the USS Cincinnati.

Lt. and Mrs. Douglas V. Gladding were recent guests of Miss Janie Feldmyer at her home on Prince George Street.

Mrs. Philip Welch is spending several weeks in Annapolis as the guest of her uncle, Francis Marchand. Her sister, Mrs. Pedro A. del Valle has returned to Quantico to join Maj. del Valle, after visiting Mr. Marchand, here.

NORFOLK, VA.

Jan. 17, 1930

COMDR. MICAJAH BOLAND entertained Thursday afternoon at a tea given on board the USS Florida, in honor of Miss Jane Patrick, debutante daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Bower Patrick. The hours for calling were from four to six o'clock.

Music was furnished by the ship's orchestra and dancing was enjoyed during the afternoon. The guests, who numbered about 100, were received by Comdr. and Mrs. Boland and Miss (Please turn to next Page)

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THE first dance of the New Year to be held at the Post Officers' Club was the occasion for a number of smart dinners. Entertaining at their quarters in the Eighth Cavalry area Col. and Mrs. William R. Smedberg, Jr., were hosts to 23 guests.

Another charming dinner of Friday evening had Maj. and Mrs. Cuyler Clark as hosts when they entertained at their quarters for the officers and ladies of special troops.

Mrs. Henry Lee Kinnison, Jr., is a patient at William Beaumont Hospital. Lt. and Mrs. George Rehm of Camp Marfa are guests of Capt. and Mrs. Henry Benson.

A most enjoyable affair of Friday evening had Lt. and Mrs. Norman M. Winn as hosts when they entertained at dinner at the Mint Cafe in Juarez.

Lt. and Mrs. Lawrence Smith and Lt. and Mrs. Harry W. Johnson of Camp Marfa, are located in the Engineer club house in the artillery area during their stay at Ft. Bliss. Lt. Smith and Lt. Johnson are participating in the try-outs for the Division polo team which will play in the coming tournament at San Antonio.

Miss Ruth Cheney of Denver, Colo., arrived this morning to be the guest of her sister, Mrs. Giles Merrill and Capt. Merrill.

Lt. Charles Bromley, who has been confined to his quarters because of illness, is again marked duty.

Lt. and Mrs. John H. Riepe were other dinner hosts preceding the hop Friday evening.

Lt. and Mrs. Don E. Carleton, who are en route from Ft. Riley, Kan., to San Francisco, their sailing point for the Philippines, where they have been transferred, were El Paso visitors the latter part of the week.

Spanish classes which will be held on Monday and Wednesday evenings at the quarters of Col. and Mrs. William R. Smedberg, Jr., have been organized in the Eighth Cavalry. Maj. Harold Thompson is in charge of the classes and instructors will be Maj. Edward L. N. Glass, Mrs. John R. Diehl and Lt. Chavez of the Cuban army, who is on duty with the Eighth Cavalry.

A bridge tea was held at the Seventh Cavalry club Tuesday, Jan. 14, for the ladies of the Seventh Cavalry. Those in charge of arrangements were Mrs. Robert Strong, Mrs. Lyman L. Judge and Mrs. John H. Riepe.

VANCOUVER BARRACKS, WASH.

Jan. 14, 1930

MRS. LEIGHTON E. WORTHLEY entertained at a bridge tea on Friday afternoon, Jan. 10, at her home, honoring Mrs. Joseph J. Yeats, who with Lt. Yeats will leave for the Philippine Islands in February.

The Vancouver Barracks Evening Bridge Club met on Jan. 10 at the Service Club with Capt. and Mrs. Otho W. Humphries, Capt. and Mrs. Harry L. Henkle and Lt. and Mrs. James C. Horne as hosts.

Maj. and Mrs. Graham W. Lester will be hosts at a dinner at their quarters on Jan. 24, complimenting Lt. and Mrs. Joseph J. Yeats.

Capt. and Mrs. Fred S. Byerly and family have returned to the garrison after visiting with relatives in Coquille, Ore.

Mrs. Harry M. Henderson and daughter Mary Ann have returned to their home from St. Joseph's Hospital.

The Vancouver Barracks Afternoon Bridge Club will hold its next meeting at 2 o'clock on Jan. 17, at the Service Club, with Mrs. Hugh C. Dorrien and Mrs. Alexander A. Dobak, as hostesses.

Lt. and Mrs. C. Birkett Ferenbaugh are making their future home with Mrs. C. W. Van Ray at her home, No. 1726 E. 7th Street, Vancouver, Wash., since the death Mrs. Ferenbaugh's father, Col. Charles W. Van Ray, on Jan. 4, at the Good Samaritan Hospital in Portland.

Celebrating their birthdays on the same day is the unusual privilege of Jane and Betty Lou Simpson, who on Jan. 3 gathered their small friends together to help celebrate their 3rd and 6th birthdays at the home of their parents, Capt. and Mrs. Oliver T. Simpson.

Capt. John E. Grosse from San Juan, P. R., and Lt. Willis G. Cronk, from Ft. Davis, Canal Zone, have arrived at the garrison for duty with the Seventh Infantry.

Capt. Oliver T. Simpson left Saturday evening for Washington, D. C. He expects to be absent from the post about ten days.

The monthly hop given by the Vancouver Barracks Officers' Club will be held on Jan. 24, at the Service Club.

Invitations have been issued for a buffet supper and dance to be given by Capt. and Mrs. Otho W. Humphries, Capt. and Mrs. Fred S. Byerly and Miss Amy Elliott on Jan. 31, at the Service Club. The guests will come in costume.

The meeting of the Vancouver Barracks Reading Club was held at the home of Mrs. Ralph L. Ware on Tuesday afternoon, Jan. 14, at 2 o'clock.

Capt. and Mrs. Ralph L. Ware enter-

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tained informally at supper on Friday evening, Jan. 10, after which the party attended the meeting of the Vancouver Barracks Bridge Club.

GOVERNORS ISLAND, N. Y.

Jan. 18, 1930

COL. AND MRS. PAUL R. FREEMAN were at the Hostess House, preparatory to sailing for foreign service Jan. 17.

Mrs. Frank B. Ferguson will sail Jan. 17 for the Canal Zone, where she will join her husband, Col. Frank K. Ferguson, CAC.

Lt. Col. and Mrs. Nelson E. Margetta, with their daughter, stopped at the Astor Hotel, preparatory to sailing Jan. 17 for the Philippines.

Col. and Mrs. William McK. Lambdin, gave a farewell dinner Saturday, Jan. 11 in honor of Col. and Mrs. Paul R. Freeman. Covers were laid for Col. and Mrs. Paul R. Freeman, Col. and Mrs. William K. Naylor, Col. and Mrs. Willis V. Morris, Col. and Mrs. William H. Noble, Lt. Col. and Mrs. Edmund C. Abbott, Lt. Col. and Mrs. Byron T. Sneed, Maj. and Mrs. W. T. Weissinger, Maj. and Mrs. H. H. White of New York City; Maj. and Mrs. Philip Rhineland of New York City and Mrs. Mary Moose.

Lt. and Mrs. Eugene B. Ely entertained at dinner on Tuesday, Jan. 7, in honor of Mrs. C. C. Culver of Washington, D. C., and Miss Baird of Yazoo City, Miss. Covers were laid for eight additional guests.

Lt. and Mrs. Robert Eichelsdoerfer have returned from a visit with relatives and friends in Kansas City, Mo.

Col. H. E. Yates, Commandant of the A. B. U. S. Disciplinary Barracks, has returned from a visit with his brother in Lincoln, Nebr.

Maj. Gen. Hanson E. Ely was the War Department representative at the sailing of the American Naval Delegation headed by Secretary of State Stimson, when that delegation sailed on Thursday, January 9, for the London Naval Conference.

Brig. Gen. Roy O. Hoffman, ORC, former president of the Reserve Officers Association of Oklahoma City, Okla., was a visitor to Governors Island Jan. 13.

The officers and ladies of the Sixteenth Infantry held the second of a monthly series of dinner dances on Monday, Jan. 13, at the officers' club. Bridge tables were provided for those who cared to play bridge. Col. A. S. Williams made a brief talk at the dinner and presented suitably engraved silver pitchers to the two latest brides of the regiment, Mrs. Charles A. Welcher and Mrs. David H. Buchanan. Sixty persons attended the dinner.

Capt. Ernest R. Dupuy, of the Army Information Service, was host to a very large number of his friends at a special showing of a new play by Don Marquis, "Everything's Jake," at the New York Theater Assembly, on Monday, Jan. 13.

Col. Arthur Poillon, Cav., DOL, inspected the 44th Division, National Guard of New Jersey, at Newark, N. J., on Thursday evening, Jan. 9. On the same evening, Maj. O. H. Saunders, Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2, Second Corps Area, addressed the officers of the division on the subject of "Military Intelligence." At the conclusion of the address and inspections, the Commanding General of the 44th Division, Maj. Gen. Quincy Gilmore, and his staff, gave a delightful dinner at the Essex Club, Newark.

Col. James B. Allison, Signal Officer, Second Corps Area, delivered an address before the Finance Section of the Reserve Officers Association of New York City, on the subject of "Army Communications," on Monday evening, Jan. 13, at the Beaver Club, 56 Broad Street, New York City. The large number of officers present, under the instruction of Col. William McK. Lambdin, Corps Area Finance Officer, commented very favorably upon the use of the Battle of Tannenberg as an historical example.

CHICAGO, ILL.

Jan. 13, 1930

THE third dinner-dance of the 1929-30 season of the Friday Evening Dance Club, Headquarters, Sixth Corps Area, Chicago, Ill., having been cancelled out of respect to the memory of our late Secretary of War, the fourth of this series was held in the Crystal Ballroom of the Cooper-Carlton Hotel on Jan. 3.

Special holiday decorations made this beautiful ballroom all the more attractive, and the party was even more thoroughly enjoyed than any of the preceding ones.

Lt. Col. and Mrs. N. W. Riley, Maj. and Mrs. H. D. Pine, and Capt. and Mrs. R. T. Wilkie were in the receiving line, and greeted the members and their guests as they moved into the ballroom.

Col. H. C. Barnes, Col. and Mrs. H. D. Mitchell, Lt. Col. and Mrs. J. P. McAdams, Maj. and Mrs. H. C. Bierbower, Capt. and Mrs. J. A. Long, and Mrs. J. R. Winchester and Miss Ramona New entertained with separate parties. There were also a Club Table and a School Table, both of which were well attended, and at which also "a good time was had by all." There were 122 members and guests present, this being one of the largest functions held by the club.

NAVY

NORFOLK, VA.

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Capt. Rufus Zogabaum also entertained Thursday at an informal luncheon on board the USS Wright, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Crane of Westover-on-the-James. Covers were laid for twelve.

Capt. and Mrs. F. E. Sellers entertained on Jan. 10 at their home in the Naval Hospital grounds at a dinner party. Covers were laid for 12.

Bridge tournaments at the Navy Yard which were discontinued during the Christmas holidays, were resumed last week when 12 tables were played in the officers club.

Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. C. A. Nicholson entertained at dinner Saturday night at the country club, preceding the weekend hop. Covers were laid for 18.

Capt. and Mrs. C. F. Howell entertained at a dinner on Monday evening at their home in Magnolia Avenue, in honor of their guest, Capt. C. S. Root of Washington.

Beginning on Jan. 13 and continuing through the winter months, bridge will be played every Monday afternoon in the Lyceum at the Naval Base. Wives of all officers attached to the Naval Training Station and the Naval Air Station, as well as the wives of officers at sea, who are temporarily located in Norfolk, will be the players. Tea will follow each game.

Invitations have been issued for a dinner-dance to be given on Tuesday evening, Jan. 21, by the officers of the Naval Base in the History building in the base. The hostess will be Mrs. Henry Ellis Lackey.

Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. J. W. Boak were hosts on Monday evening at a dinner

ST. RILEY, KANS.

Jan. 15, 1930

CAPT. AND MRS. WILLIAM H. DEAN were hosts at dinner on the evening of Jan. 4, for Col. and Mrs. Robert M. Campbell, Maj. and Mrs. Rexford E. Willoughby, Maj. and Mrs. Dean F. Winn, Capt. and Mrs. Vaughn M. Cannon, Capt. and Mrs. Fred W. Koester and Lt. and Mrs. Hammond McD. Monroe.

Last Sunday evening Capt. and Mrs. Robert A. Blair entertained most delightfully with a dinner and bridge party. The party was given in honor of Mrs. Blair's birthday.

Gen. and Mrs. Abraham G. Lott entertained at dinner Saturday evening preceding the weekly hop for Col. and Mrs. Ernest L. Rutner, Col. and Mrs. Robert M. Campbell, Col. and Mrs. Alexander M. Milton, Capt. and Mrs. Harold P. Stewart, Lt. and Mrs. Thomas G. Donaldson, Capt. Carl A. G. DeGeer, Lt. Laurence R. Ladue, Lt. John G. Hamilton, and Lt. and Mrs. Clark L. Ruffner.

Another dinner party given Saturday evening before the hop was that at which Capt. and Mrs. Ernest A. Williams were hosts.

Their guests were: Lts. and Mmes Louis E. Massie, John O. Murtaugh, John P. Willey, Charles H. Valentine, Cary B. Hutchinson, Landon J. Lockett, Frank G. Trew; Lts. Lee C. Vance, Paul R. Greenhalgh, William A. Bugher and William J. Bradley.

Maj. and Mrs. Daniel E. Murphy entertained with a buffet supper on Saturday night preceding the hop at Godfrey Court. Their guests numbering 30.

CHANUTE FIELD, ILL.

Jan. 16, 1930

MRS. HEFFERNAN Mrs. Voss, and Mrs. Sousa gave a charming tea and a handkerchief shower last week for Mrs. Abbey and her mother, Mrs. Sargeant, who are leaving soon for Washington, D. C.

Lt. and Mrs. N. R. Laughinghouse were hosts at dinner recently for the following guests: Maj. and Mrs. Heffernan, Lt. and Mrs. Wood, Lt. and Mrs. Heald, Lt. and Mrs. Roberson, Lt. and Mrs. Smith, Lt. and Mrs. Ballard, and Lt. Fishback.

A charming buffet dinner was given by Lt. and Mrs. Ballard and Lt. Fishback. The guests were Lt. and Mrs. Laughinghouse, Lt. and Mrs. Smith, Lt. and Mrs. Roberson, Lt. and Mrs. Duncan, Capt. Ferson, Lt. Borum, and Lt. Stowell.

Mrs. Madarasz entertained with a delightful luncheon party at the Campaign Country Club for Mrs. Abbey and Mrs. Sargeant. Other guests were Mrs. Heffernan, Mrs. Voss, Mrs. Heald, Mrs. Sousa, Mrs. Roberson. Later the party attended the matinee.

FORT MONMOUTH, N. J.

Jan. 16, 1930

THE afternoon Bridge Club met at the Officers' Club recently, with Mrs. Louis Canaler and Mrs. Norman Lee Baldwin as hostesses. Prizes were awarded to Miss Virginia Hanson, Mrs. Fred G. Miller and Mrs. E. L. Clewell.

The bridge party given by the Officers' Club, Friday night, Jan. 10, was largely attended. The usual prizes were awarded. The committee in charge of the affair consisted of Capt. R. A. Willard, Lt. H. B. Margeson and Lt. F. N. Leakey.

Lt. and Mrs. J. E. Raymond entertained

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given in the Nansemond Hotel, Ocean View.

Mrs. W. B. Lobaugh entertained the members of her card club at her home in the Naval Base on Jan. 11 at a bridge luncheon. Her guests numbered 12.

Lt. Thomas Ryan, USN, entertained at an informal dinner-dance on Thursday evening at his home on Redgate Avenue. His guests numbered ten.

Mrs. H. M. H. Flemming, who with Captain Fleming has been residing at the Marine Barracks, has gone to Washington, where she is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Arce Magee. Capt. Fleming is now on duty at Nicaragua.

Comdr. and Mrs. George Murray, who have been residing for some time in Algonquin Park, sailed this week from New York on the USS George Washington, for England, where Comdr. Murray will be assistant Naval attaché in London.

Col. Harry L. Jordan, USA, has returned to Baltimore, after visiting his sister, Mrs. Richard McIlwaine, Jr., and Judge McIlwaine.

Comdr. and Mrs. E. H. Tennent have returned to their home in Portsmouth, after visiting their son, Midshipman Jack Tennent.

Mrs. H. E. Lackey is visiting her parents, Comdr. and Mrs. Robert Peck, at their home in Washington.

Lt. Comdr. Paul W. Hains, who with Mrs. Hains spent several days here visiting Mrs. Hains' brother-in-law and sister, Comdr. and Mrs. C. A. Johnson, has gone to Panama, where he has been assigned duty. Mrs. Hains is now at her home in New London, Conn.

Lt. and Mrs. E. S. Loughhead have returned to their home in Philadelphia after visiting Mrs. Loughhead's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Johnston, at their home in the McAllister apartment.

Lt. and Mrs. Oliver Van de Berg, who have been visiting Mrs. Van de Berg's parents, Capt. and Mrs. Ernest J. King, at their home in the Naval Air Station, have returned to their home in Ft. Bragg, N. C.

Comdr. Monroe Kelly of Rio de Janeiro, arrived in New York on Jan. 16, and is expected to reach Norfolk on Jan. 29 to join Mrs. Kelly and the children, who are visiting Mrs. Kelly's mother, Mrs. E. T. Lamb, on Fairfax Avenue.

GREAT LAKES, ILL.

Jan. 15, 1930

A HARD times dance was given by the commissioned officers of the U. S. Naval Training Station, Great Lakes, Ill., in the field house at that station on Saturday evening, Jan. 11. About 80 couples attended and there were many original costumes in evidence. Music was furnished by the Great Lakes orchestra.

Lt. Francis H. Gilmer, USN, personnel aide to Rear Adm. Walter S. Crosley, USS, commandant of the Ninth Naval District, addressed the membership of the University Club of Waukegan at the Hotel Clayton in that city on Thursday evening, Jan. 9.

Taking as his subject "Communism and its Dangers," Lieutenant Gilmer told in a vivid and convincing way how communism constituted a real menace, and offered constructive suggestions as to how its dangers might be avoided.

The same address was previously delivered by Lieutenant Gilmer at the Rotary Club in Waukegan, where it was so favorably received that he was requested to repeat it before the membership of the University Club.

MARE ISLAND, CALIF.

Jan. 13, 1930

L. COMDR. AND MRS. ERNEST A. LAUS will sail from San Francisco Jan. 17, on the USS President Lincoln, for the Asiatic Station where Dr. Daus has been ordered for duty. The Daus' have been stationed at Mare Island for the past three years.

Among the farewell courtesies extended to Mrs. Daus, was the delightful luncheon and bridge at which Mrs. W. C. Thierner entertained at her home in Vallejo, Jan. 3. There were about twenty guests.

Capt. and Mrs. John M. Ellicott were hosts at an attractive affair at their home, Quarters 177, Jan. 5, when they invited a group of friends to dinner, followed by bridge. Yellow and pink predominated in the floral decorations. Covers were laid for twenty-six.

The executive board of the Mare Island chapter of the Navy Relief Association met Jan. 7 at the home of Mrs. Joseph Murphy, president. Officers for the coming year were elected and included Mrs. Ralph Whitman, president; Mrs. J. M. Ellicott, first vice president; Mrs. George Shepard, second vice president; Mrs. Robert Irvine, treasurer; Mrs. Edward Graffin, secretary; Mrs. Mary Turner, chairman of the relief committee and Mrs. George Shepard and Chap. H. G. Gatlin assistants on the relief committee.

Mrs. Lewis P. Summers of Abingdon, Va., has arrived in Vallejo to visit her daughters, Mrs. Lowden Jessup, Jr., of Quarters R. R., and Mrs. Preston Locke, of 36 B Street.

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FT. MONMOUTH, N. J.

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in their home on the post Friday evening, Jan. 10, preceding the bridge party given by the Officers' Club. Among those present were Maj. and Mrs. C. W. Lewis, Maj. and Mrs. L. E. Ryder, Capt. and Mrs. E. L. Clewell, Capt. and Mrs. L. F. Lawrence, Capt. and Mrs. G. C. Black, Lt. and Mrs. Robert Robinson, Lt. and Mrs. H. L. Vitzhum, Lt. and Mrs. Carter W. Clarke, Lt. and Mrs. F. H. Lanahan, Lt. and Mrs. F. T. Gillespie, and Lt. and Mrs. E. C. Gillette.
Lt. and Mrs. R. T. Schlossberg entertained at dinner at their home on Lake Drive in Oceanport, Friday evening, Jan. 10, preceding the bridge party given by the Officers' Club. Their guests included Capt. and Mrs. Louis Cansler, Capt. and Mrs. J. V. Matejka, Capt. and Mrs. Norman Lee Baldwin, Capt. and Mrs. F. G. Miller and Lt. and Mrs. C. W. Woods.

FT. MEADE, S. D.
Jan. 8, 1930

THE officers and ladies of the post were hosts at a New Year's eve ball given in the Post Auditorium. A large group of out of town guests attended. The Hop Room had been attractively decorated under the supervision of Mrs. D. R. Rodney, and an excellent time was had by everyone in boosting out the old year and ushering in the new.

Maj. and Mrs. Heard entertained at dinner on New Year's eve preceding the ball. Their guests numbered 26.

Capt. and Mrs. J. R. Tighe had as their guests for dinner on Friday, Jan. 3, a number of the younger set of Sturgis and Rapid City.

Maj. and Mrs. J. K. Colwell entertained a number of their friends at a buffet supper recently.

FT. FRANCIS E. WARREN, WYO.
Jan. 10, 1930

THE Post commander, Brig. Gen. Charles R. Howland, entertained at a dinner party at his headquarters Monday night, Jan. 6, at 7 o'clock, in honor of Col. Fred E. Buchan and Mrs. Buchan, who are leaving the post shortly.

The guests assembled to bid goodbye to Col. and Mrs. Buchan were Mr. and Mrs. George E. Brimmer of Cheyenne; Col. and Mrs. Alden F. Brewster and Capt. and Mrs. Russell H. Dixon of the 76th Field Artillery, and Rt. Rev. Patrick A. McGovern, bishop of Cheyenne.

The post bridge party held Tuesday evening, Jan. 7, was a very brilliant and successful affair. Officers' club was beautifully decorated and excellent music was furnished by the First Infantry Orchestra.

Officers, their ladies and invited guests enjoyed dancing before the dinner and between the courses.

Bridge games began at 9 p. m. and continued until 11 o'clock, when the following winners were announced: Mrs. Roland Wilkins and Mrs. Terry P. Bull among the ladies, and Lt. A. R. Nichols and Capt. W. A. Hales among the gentlemen.

Lt. and Mrs. Richard Carpenter, 76th FA, entertained Lt. and Mrs. C. R. Kutz and Lt. and Mrs. Nelson M. Lynde, Jr., at dinner recently.

Capt. and Mrs. R. F. Love are expecting to begin their journey from Fort Warren to the Philippine Islands between the tenth and fifteenth of this month.

They will leave here by automobile for San Francisco, making the journey via the southern route and visiting the Grand Canyon and other points of interest on the way.

They will leave San Francisco Feb. 8 for Manila where Captain Love will report to the commanding general for assignment.

FT. MOULTRIE, S. C.
Jan. 14, 1930

LT. AND MRS. ELMER W. GUDE left Ft. Moultrie Monday morning on the Clyde line for New York, where they will sail for Panama on Jan. 17.

Mrs. Shaw is enjoying a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Wallis, wife of Lt. Luther Wallis, of this post.

Lt. and Mrs. Kenneth Bailey have as their guests Mrs. Bailey's mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Clust.

Lt. and Mrs. Sam Purswell entertained at a lovely bridge dinner Tuesday night, Jan. 7. Their guests numbered 46. The color scheme was pink and green, while candles at each table cast a soft glow over the room. Music was furnished by the 8th Infantry Band. Mrs. Shaw won ladies high prize, a beautiful tray, while Capt. Ellis won first prize for the men, a brass cigarette container.

Mrs. T. J. Johnson was called away suddenly to her husband, Maj. T. J. Johnson, who is critically ill. Mrs. Johnson was visiting her parents, Col. and Mrs. Willis Prague Coleman.

Mr. Willis Prague Coleman, Jr., left for Chicago and Mr. Wilson Coleman left for Ft. McPherson last week. Both boys spent the Christmas holidays with their parents, Col. and Mrs. Willis Prague Coleman.

Col. and Mrs. Willis Prague Coleman were hosts at a lovely venison dinner Thursday night, Jan. 9. The deer was killed by Mr. Willis Prague Coleman, Jr., on one of the hunts. The guests were Capt. and Mrs. Malcolm Lindsay, and Capt. and Mrs. William Richie. On the table was an attractive centerpiece of a bowl of fruit.

Capt. and Mrs. Walter C. Philips entertained at a bridge dinner Tuesday night, Jan. 14. The guests were Col. and Mrs. W. P. Coleman, Maj. G. R. Byrd, Maj. and Mrs. Edwin Mead, Maj.

1929 Satisfactory for AC

A RESUME of 1929 Air Corps activities indicates that it was a satisfactory year in accomplishment and progress in all departments of aviation. Satisfactory results in aeronautical engineering have been obtained; several record flights were made by Army flyers and the training in the schools and throughout the Air Corps has shown improvement both in the number who have graduated from the schools and in the character of the training.

Early in 1929 the materiel division at Wright Field announced the final successful tests on what is popularly known as the "Prestone-cooling" system for liquid-cooled airplane motors. Through the use of this liquid glycol-ethylene, in the radiators of a motor they succeeded in reducing the size of the radiator 70 per cent and decreasing the weight considerably. This system was given a thorough service test in a small single seater pursuit plane, a Curtiss Hawk, powered with a 12-cylinder Curtiss V-type motor of 400 horsepower. One glance at this airplane so equipped, an airplane with sleek, racy lines, is sufficient to make one realize the advantages obtained by the use of this cooling system, advantages due to cutting of weight and streamlining of fuselage.

This past year has also seen the last of the famous Liberty motor as a standard installation for Army planes. Born during the war, and changed in small details from time to time, this motor has outlived its usefulness and has been replaced with more modern types, both air and liquid cooled.

New equipment has been the order of the year. Pursuit planes have had motors equipped with Prestone-cooling and with superchargers. Many observation planes have recently been ordered, one type with water-cooled motors for tactical units and the other type with dual controls and air-cooled motors for use as advanced training planes.

Very important in one respect is the adoption of the heavy bombardment plane, the "B-2" commercially the "Curtiss Condor bomber." This dual motored plane is an adaptation of the Curtiss Condor transport and is the first case in which the Air Corps has adopted a truly "convertible" plane, one that might, in time of emergency, be converted from a commercial to a military plane either on the production line at the factory or at repair depot from planes actually engaged in commercial aviation at the time.

In the latter part of 1929 a radical departure from the past was made when a dual-motored, three-place monoplane was ordered for contemplated service test as a long range observation plane, and a two-place pursuit plane was ordered for similar tests. The May maneuvers in Ohio confirmed previous ideas on the need of these two types.

Training activities have been carried on with the usual vigor. During the past year 57 officers, 2 non-commissioned officers and 244 flying cadets were graduated as pilots from the Advanced Flying School at Kelly Field, and 12 others graduated from courses given at the AC Technical School at Chanute Field. Of these, 13 were officers, 517 were Air Corps enlisted men and the remaining 47 were from other arms of the Government service and from the Armies of foreign nations. From the AC Tactical School at Langley Field there were 24 graduates. Of these 14 were Air Corps officers eight officers from other branches of the service and two from the armed force of other nations.

The classification system of all Air Reserve Officers, started in operation in 1928, was completed at the close of the fiscal year June 30, 1929. As a result it was found that of 5,800 or more Reserve Officers but 1500 were qualified to pilot planes with the required degree of proficiency, and of this 1500, but 600 were qualified to act as pilots of service type planes on tactical missions without the need of a refresher course of flying. This number of Group I pilots, as they are called, is small, but has increased rapidly in the last six months. The survey, how-

and Mrs. A. L. Alexander, Dr. and Mrs. R. S. MacElwee, Capt. and Mrs. Malcolm Lindsay, Capt. and Mrs. Eugene Sleeper, Capt. and Mrs. Dan Ellis, Lt. and Mrs. Sam Purswell, Lt. and Mrs. Kenneth Bailey, Lt. and Mrs. Luther Wallis, Mrs. Bond, and Mrs. Shaw. Pink roses and lavender candles made a beautiful color scheme for the room.

Col. and Mrs. Willis Prague Coleman have as their guest Maj. George R. Byrd, USA, ret., and uncle of Rear Adm. Richard E. Byrd. Col. Coleman and Maj. Byrd served together in the Philippines, on the Texas border and in the World War.

Aeronautical Notes

THE Navy Department has let a contract to the Chance Vought Corporation, Borden and Review Avenues, L. I. City, N. Y., for thirty-six (36) airplanes of the Corsair type. The contract price is \$856,812.50. These planes have been given the official Navy designation "O3U-1." They are the latest modification of the Vought Corsair airplanes which are the standard observation planes of the Navy. These O3U-1 planes are similar to the O2U planes now doing duty in the Fleet, the main difference being a change of the wing section. The planes are amphibian and are capable of being converted to either sea or land planes. They are two-seater biplanes equipped with the powerful Pratt and Whitney "Wasp" engine. It is intended to use these planes aboard the battleships and carriers of the Fleet for spotting and observation duties.

The Pan-American Airways, Inc., through Mr. H. C. Leuteritz, Communications Engineer, has sent a letter to the Director of Naval Communications, Capt. S. C. Hooper, USN, expressing its appreciation of the assistance given one of its planes after a forced landing near St. Thomas, by the Naval stations, San Juan, P. R., and St. Thomas V. I.

Mr. Leuteritz said:
"On Dec. 30, one of our Sikorsky flying from San Juan to Paramaribo was forced to land on the sea due to mechanical trouble ten miles south of St. Thomas light. Our station at San Juan was in contact with the plane and handled the communication with it. This work, however, was carried on using the high frequency and when it was found that a forced landing was inevitable the Naval Station at San Juan was requested to have St. Thomas send a tug to the location of the plane in order to assist it in its difficulty. The USS Grebe proceeded to the location given and took the plane in tow and returned to St. Thomas."

"It was only by the outstanding work of our San Juan station and assistance given by the Navy that it was possible to save the lives of those men together with the craft itself. The sea being very rough at the time, it is doubtful as to whether the plane would have stayed afloat for any length of time and had the radio system not been employed this mishap might have been disastrous."

ever, ascertained definitely the number of good and fair pilots, and the number of Reserve Officers qualified to assume active duties with tactical squadrons in case of emergency.

As far as flying activities go, the year has been successful. The 6½ day's duration flight of the Army's "Question Mark" not only tended to demonstrate the high standard that had been reached by AC pilots and types of planes but it also paved the way for flights of a similar nature by civilian aviators.

Quite a number of notable long distance flights were made during the year, thus giving evidence that flying equipment is reliable in character. Army pilots in a transport plane made the flight from Dayton, Ohio, to France Field, C. Z., in 38 hours and 40 minutes. Another notable flight was the one made in the other direction, from France Field to Kelly Field, a distance of 2,030 miles, completed the same day the plane took off from its station in the tropics. A third interesting flight over the same route was the one made in one pursuit and two observation planes when their pilots flew from France Field to Langley Field, participated there in the annual aerial gunnery matches and returned to their proper station in the Zone in the same planes.

A flight which at the time received very little attention from those outside the service was the one made by a formation of nine bombardment planes, under the command of Maj. Hugh J. Knerr, from Langley Field to Rockwell Field. The trip west was made in exceptionally good time. The return to Langley Field was made in easy stages.

High altitude flying was not neglected, for quite a number of such flights were made, chief among them being the one participated in by Lt. H. A. Johnson and Capt. A. W. Stevens, photographer, when a record of 35,611 feet for biplace planes with full load, was attained. Two young Army pilots, Lts. Gregg and Woodring, engaged in combat maneuvers in pursuit planes at an altitude of 25,000 feet.

A flight made under auspices other than that of the Air Corps but which received considerable attention the world over was one made by one of the most famous of our Air Corps

Arctic Air Patrol

THE "Arctic Patrol" of the First Pursuit Group began its maneuvers over a 3,500-mile battle front stretching between Detroit, Mich., and Spokane, Wash., and return, when 18 pursuit planes and two tri-motored transports, equipped with skis instead of their usual landing gear, took off from Selfridge Field. The expedition is under the command of Maj. Ralph Royce.

This is the first time in history that a large group of planes have engaged in mimic warfare under sub-arctic conditions and over a battle front as long as the distance from New York to Paris.

In conjunction with the "Arctic Patrol," a new radio station will take the air on Jan. 10, when station AB6 (A-B-six) installed in one of the accompanying Army transports inaugurated a series of short-wave communication experiments while the ship was in transit as well as when on the ground.

These tests involve the cooperation of the Army radio network, the tens of thousands of members of the American Radio Relay League and station W2XX, the experimental laboratories of the General Electric Company at Schenectady, N. Y., and divide themselves into the following phases:

1. Constant communication during flight hours with Army Signal Corps network through stations at Columbus, Ohio, Chicago, Omaha, Nebr., Leavenworth, Kans., Ft. Sill, Okla., Ft. Francis E. Warren, Wyo., Ft. Douglas, Utah, and Vancouver Barracks, Wash., all of which will be in constant direct communication with the Army Message Center in Washington, D. C.

2. Regular communication schedules beginning each night at 8:30 o'clock, Eastern Standard Time, with members of the American Radio Relay League. This phase will include two-way communication between the airplane station AB6 and the Radio Relay League station W1MK ((W-one-M-K) at Hartford, Conn.

3. Communication each morning before take-off with the Schenectady Laboratories of the General Electric Company, which will also stand-by during the first ten minutes of every flight hour for S. O. S. or other signals.

In addition to the usual routine safety precautions prescribed on every flight undertaken by the Air Corps, such as parachutes, signal flares, emergency rations, etc., the radio facilities of the nation are merged into one gigantic pool with tens of thousands of interested professionals and amateurs standing by their radio sets.

This is the first time in history that the nation will be able to follow by ear the progress of Army Air Corps airplanes across the continent.

The radio plane of the "Arctic Patrol" operates on two wave-lengths, 32.5 meters and 54 meters. Mr. H. J. Adamson, assistant to Honorable F. Trubee Davison, Assistant Secretary of War for Aeronautics, is aboard the radio plane in charge of communications. Staff Sgt. Harry E. Wilson, AC, operates the set. The communication terminals are in charge of the following: Mr. F. E. Handy, American Radio Relay League, Hartford; Capt. Frank E. Stoner, SC, and Lt. Arthur L. Ennis, AC, Bolling Field, D. C., and Mr. B. R. Cummings, Radio Engineering Department, General Electric Company, Schenectady.

pilots, Lt. James Doolittle, when he made a complete flight, including take-off and landing, solely with the aid of his instruments, thus approximating 100 per cent fog-flying conditions.

A striking demonstration of the great advance made in the science of aerial photography was recently given by Capt. A. W. Stevens. This officer, piloted by Lt. J. D. Corkille, proceeded on a photographic expedition from Dayton to the Northwest, and during the course of this made an aerial photograph of Mt. Rainier from a distance of 227 miles.

Several inspection flights of considerable length from 2,000 to 20,000 miles, were made by officers of the Air Corps and by those of the General Staff Corps. Hon. F. Trubee Davison, Assistant Secretary of War for Aeronautics, and Rep. W. Frank James, Chairman of the House Military Affairs Committee, hold the record of 7,000 and 20,000 miles respectively.

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Army Notes

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Washington Quartermaster Training Conference.

Capt. O. P. Winningstad, OD, now on duty in the statistics and war plans section, O. S. of O., has been assigned to duty as ordnance representative with the Caterpillar Tractor Company, San Leandro, Calif., leaving for the Coast about June 18.

Col. E. R. Tompkins, QMC, in charge of the personnel section, office of The Quartermaster General, has been assigned, effective April 17, for duty at headquarters, 6th Corps Area.

Fort Dupont (Special) — Chaplain W. A. Aiken, USA, has been assigned here from Madison Barracks. Chaplain C. C. Merrill will take the latter post.

Brig. Gen. William E. Cole has been assigned to command of Ft. Eustis, which he will assume after pursuing courses of one month each at the AC Tactical School, Langley Field, and at the Infantry School, Ft. Benning.

Effective May 17, Maj. C. G. Helmick, FA, is relieved as an instructor at the FA School, Ft. Sill, and assigned to the 1st Field Artillery at the same post.

Maj. Gen. George S. Gibbs, the Chief Signal Officer, this week paid a visit to the Signal school at Ft. Monmouth, and afterwards visited the New York General Depot, Brooklyn, in connection with the activities of the signal section of the depot.



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Financial Digest

IN REVIEWING the general financial situation, a G. M.-P. Murphy and Co. bulletin calls attention to one phase which is apt to be overlooked. The bulletin states:

The foreign situation must be watched in appraising the domestic outlook. While the figures on our export trade do not yet definitely reflect the stagnation in the foreign loan market here, recent developments abroad indicate that some of the European nations have not yet progressed far enough since the war to get along without occasional borrowing here. That newer nations still in a development stage need to obtain capital from time to time goes without saying. At the same time, the necessity of getting on without new borrowings for a time may not be altogether disadvantageous for some of these countries; the resulting careful scrutiny of expenditures may reveal many items originating in war conditions wherein economies can now be effected. Gradually easing money here should sooner or later revive the market for foreign issues.

New Cruiser Assigned

THE USS Salt Lake City, first of the 10,000 ton light cruisers to be commissioned, will make a shakedown cruise to Rio de Janeiro, and Bahia, Brazil. Upon her return, she will report at Guantanamo, Cuba, to the Commander Scouting Fleet, Vice Adm. W. C. Cole, USN, for duty with the Scouting Fleet.

The Salt Lake City is now taking on stores at the Philadelphia Navy Yard where she was commissioned on Dec. 11, 1929, and she will sail Jan. 24 for the Delaware Breakwater for calibration of radio compass. Jan. 26, she will arrive in the New York Harbor, departing Jan. 29 for Newport, R. I.

Her itinerary will be: Depart Newport, R. I., Feb. 1; arrive Hampton Roads, Feb. 2; Depart Hampton Roads, Feb. 3, arrive Guantanamo, Feb. 6; depart Guantanamo, Feb. 7, arrive Culebra or St. Thomas, Feb. 19; depart Culebra, Feb. 19, arrive Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, March 1; depart Rio de Janeiro, March 15, arrive Bahia, Brazil, March 17; depart Bahia, March 21, arrive Guantanamo and report to Commander Scouting Fleet for duty, March 31.

1st Div. S. O. School

Ft. Hamilton (Special)—Commencing on Jan. 20th and extending over a period of two months, Brig. Gen. H. A. Drum, commanding the 1st Division and his staff, will attend a lyceum here.

The general himself and specially selected officers of his staff will lecture. The subjects as chosen, are of particular interest to members of the service and will be discussed by the various officers designated either from their personal experience or extended study.

A general invitation has been extended to all the organized reserve and national guard units in the Metropolitan Area. It is expected that a large representation from each of these units will attend.

The school's sessions will be held in the lecture room of the post Y. M. C. A. in accordance with the following schedule:

Jan. 20: Maj. Devoe, MC—Responsibility of Commanders and Staff Officers in Maintenance of Physical and Mental Fitness of Officers; Maj. Pearson, AGD—Operations of the 2nd Division in Third Meuse-Argonne Phase.

Jan. 30: Maj. Shutan, QMC—Cuban-American Relations.

Feb. 3: Lt. Col. Brabson, GSC—The Battle of Tannenberg.

Feb. 13: Maj. Auer, JAGD—Chinese Warfare.

Feb. 17: Col. Morrow, GSC—Allenby's Campaign in 1917, to include the Capture of Jerusalem; Maj. Van Deusen, SC—Allenby's Campaign, Final Phase, 1918.

March 3: Maj. Hardenburgh, GSC—The Attack of the British Fourth Army in Aug. 1918; Maj. Downs, GSC—Covering Special Features Including Use of Materiel, Tanks, Artillery, and Airplanes in the Attack of British Fourth Army in August, 1918.

March 14: Gen. Drum—Operations of the First Army, (US).

March 17: Maj. Ahern, IGD—Aspects of Business Organizations and Methods in the Army; Capt. Lavin, OD—Trend of Development in Weapons.

Canal Survey Progresses

REPORTS just received from Maj. Dan I Sultan, CE, in charge of the Nicaragua Canal survey, indicate that satisfactory progress is being made in the face of many difficulties imposed by nature and climate. A recent 15-inch rainfall, recorded in a two-day period, caused heavy flooding of streams and necessitated the discontinuance of some work at least temporarily.

In the fore part of December Company A of the Engineer Battalion in Nicaragua, moved overland by ox-cart to Brito on the Pacific coast, where it established a camp preparatory to prosecuting a survey of Brito Harbor and checking and extending the topography of the western end of the canal route from the lake to Brito.

Company B has established itself in camp at Greytown on the Caribbean shore and is proceeding with the survey of Greytown Harbor and topographic work on the eastern end of the canal route from Greytown to the east divide.

Numerous reconnaissances are being continued as they may be required.

Maj. Sultan reports that the establishment of four portable field radio stations has been completed by Signal Corps personnel under the supervision of Tech. Sergt. Everett Smith, and that they are all now in operation. Sergt. Smith, Maj. Sultan states, has displayed great initiative in the rapid establishment of these stations, and the entire Signal Corps personnel has performed satisfactory service. The headquarters of the survey at Granada is in direct communication with the supply base at San Carlos and the camp of Company C at Ochoa, and through Ochoa station with that of Company B at Greytown.

That the survey party has made a favorable impression among Nicaraguans is indicated by the following comments of Doctor Joaquin Gomez, a senator from Granada, and an able business man:

"The Canal Commission works with great energy. It has established the projected route in general, and I have seen with my own eyes the conscientious and honorable devotion to duty with which all of them carry on their work. I have seen new proof of the reason for the grandeur of the United States, and that is, that everyone, from President Hoover down to the last subordinate, complies with his instructions and carries on his work as though it were a sacred duty. Uncle Sam can sleep quietly, for his fine sons are always awake for him. Maj. Sultan, with whom I have very friendly relations, is a fine organizer and a perfect gentleman."

Senate Committees

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The assignment of Senator Baird to the Military Affairs committee gives room to the supposition that Ambassador Dwight Morrow, now in England, as a member of the American Delegation to the naval limitation conference, and who is scheduled to succeed Mr. Baird as junior Senator from New Jersey, will also succeed him on the Military Affairs committee.

Senator Patrick J. Sullivan, appointed to succeed the late Senator Warren, is a native of Ireland. Coming to this country at the age of 23, he migrated to the west, starting to work on a sheep ranch in Wyoming. At the present time he is one of the largest owners of sheep in the country. Mr. Sullivan has been assigned to both the Military and Naval Affairs committees.

Mr. Grundy takes the place in the Senate left vacant by the denial of a seat to William S. Vare.

The new alignment of committees is as follows:

Naval Affairs.—Messrs. Hale (chairman), Oddie, Shortridge, Metcalf, Schaal, Waterman, Goldsborough, Kean, Sullivan, Grundy, Swanson, Trammell, Broussard, Walsh, of Massachusetts, Tydings and Robinson of Arkansas.

Military Affairs.—Messrs. Reed (chairman), Green, McMaster, Cutting, Patterson, McCulloch, Baird, Sullivan, Fletcher, Sheppard, Blease, Steck, Black and Brock.

One Republican vacancy exists on the Military Affairs Committee, and one Democratic vacancy on the Naval Affairs Committee.

Geotige Named Aide

CAPT. FRANK B. GEOTIGE, USMC, has been appointed an aide-de-camp to the Major General Commandant Wendell C. Neville, and a White House aide. He reported for duty on Wednesday.

Capt. Geotige is probably the best-known football man developed in the Marine Corps. He entered the Marine Corps from Ohio University, Athens, Ohio, in May, 1917, while a freshman. He did not play football while in college, but began his career while in Germany after the Armistice, playing on regimental and division teams.

Upon his return to the States he joined the Quantico Marine team and played quarter against the famous Army Third Corps Area team in 1922, 1923 and 1924. He played in the first of the Army-Marine games for the President's cup in 1926. For several seasons he was line coach and assistant coach for the Marine Corps team.

Capt. Geotige was born 33 years ago, in Canton, Ohio. He served with the First Regiment of Marines in the Argonne. He has also seen service in Haiti and China. For two years he was aide to Gen. Neville when the general was in command of the Department of the Pacific with headquarters in San Francisco.

Geotige is six feet two inches tall and weighs 200 pounds. He is reputed to be the greatest ground gainer the Marines ever produced.

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Navy Mutual Aid

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have been placed to the members' credit in the Reserve Fund, therefore, in a sense, each member received a dividend of 23 assessments for 1929. These assessments have been invested and are earning compound interest for their owners.

Prior to reaching the \$5,000 maximum, the beneficiaries of deceased members received the amount equal to one full assessment from each member. Now the amount of the benefit is \$7,500, all advance assessments to the member's credit at time of death, and his pro rata share of the Reserve Fund. Last year several beneficiaries received over \$8,100.00.

The Secretary and Treasurer, Adm. T. J. Cowie, USN., was tendered a rising vote of thanks for his continued excellent work and achievement in bringing the association to its present high state of efficiency.

Pertinent extracts from the annual report of Adm. Cowie, as secretary and treasurer, follow:

The year 1929, our fiftieth anniversary, has proven to be a banner year and the membership is to be heartily congratulated.

Growth

During the year 354 new members were secured, and there were 49 deaths, 106 resignations, 76 suspensions, 14 reinstatements, and the cancellation of one resignation, giving us on January 1, 1930, a membership of 6,162. This is a net increase of 138 for the year. The total sum realized from one assessment from all members amounts to \$14,646.41, an increase of \$474.86 over the amount of January 1, 1929.

Due to increase in membership and to stabilization at 45 assessments per annum, our assets increased during 1929 from \$767,203.44 to \$1,071,852.05, an increase of \$304,648.61. The balance December 31, 1929, was as follows:

Benefit Fund	\$486,159.92
Reserve Fund	582,612.39
Expense Fund	3,079.74

\$1,071,852.05

In June, 1920, there were 1,311 members, and one assessment from all members amounted to \$4,116.37. Since that date there has actually been enrolled 6,311 members. On December 31, 1929, there were 6,162 members, and one assessment from all members amounted to \$14,646.41. In June, 1920, from an insurance standpoint the amount was \$5,396,561.07, while on De-

Indian War Vets to Meet

THE annual meeting and dinner of the Order of Indian Wars of the United States will be held at the Army and Navy Club, Washington, D. C., Jan. 25. In addition to the election of officers for the ensuing year, a Ritual which the Order has long felt the need of, will be submitted for adoption and if adopted will present a very unique ceremonial ritual befitting the Order of Indian Wars.

Brig. Gen. Charles King, Brig. Gen. Edward S. Godfrey, and Capt. W. S. Campbell of the University of Oklahoma, have been invited to speak. Approximately sixty members and their friends are expected to be present. Senators Lynn J. Frazier and Robert N. La Follette, Jr., members of the Committee on Indian Affairs, will be invited to attend.

From June, 1920, to December 31, 1929, the increase in the total value of one assessment is \$10,530.04, and the net increase in membership is 4,851.

Deaths

Forty-nine members died during the year, the average age being 53.41 years. Nineteen were over 62 years of age, 3 suicides, 1 killed in automobile accident, 2 drowned, and 1 suffocated while inspecting compartment aboard ship, and while 8 died as the result of airplane crashes only 5 were regular aviators, the other 15 being from natural causes.

Since organization, July 28, 1879, 1,049 members have passed to the great beyond. Their beneficiaries have all been promptly paid the benefit at dates of the members' deaths, amounting in all to \$4,687,980.00. Their claims for arrears of pay, six months' gratuity, Government insurance, and pension, with the necessary papers to expedite payment, were prepared and followed up until settlement was made.

The amount of the benefit paid in 1929, \$7,500, was increased by a member's pro rata share of the Reserve Fund, established in 1922, also his advance assessments at time of death.

Assessments

Assessments for 1930, and until such time as the number is changed by a vote of the membership, will be 45. Members not paying by allotment will be sent quarterly call cards for 11½ assessments (according to age), on January, April, July and October 1st. Members in an aviation status will be charged but \$8.15 per month during

Pamphlet on CA Gunnery

THE CAC Training Regulation (TR 435-280)—Gunnery for Coast Artillery Except Antiaircraft—has been entirely revised. In its present form it contains 191 pages, and 280 sections.

The regulation covers elements of ballistics, firing tables, limitation of fire due to position, gun differences and parallax, pointing methods, calculation of firing data for fixed targets, principles of probability, errors and probabilities as related to artillery firing, adjustment of fire, armor attack, preparation for firing, glossary of terms, and tables (trigonometric).

Other regulations recently revised are:

Ordnance Department—Cleaning and Preserving Materials, etc. (TR 1395-A); Marksmanship—Rifle, General (TR 150-10); Orders and Regulations, O. C. of E.—Motor Vehicle Identification Number Plates.

1930 and should register a separate allotment for that amount.

It is gratifying to know that the number of those paying by allotment is being gradually increased. My recommendation is renewed that all members still in the Service avail themselves of the privilege of paying by allotment, particularly now that allotments can be registered for a period of four years.

Cost

During the year, while there were 49 deaths, only 37 assessments were charged to members' accounts, leaving 8 of the 45 paid in to their credit in the Benefit Fund. Over 15 assessments were placed to members' credit in the Reserve Fund. Therefore, the actual cost to each member for the entire year was but 22 assessments, and 23 of the 45 assessments paid in are to the credit of members, earning compound interest and increasing the amount of the benefit to be paid over and above the \$7,500.00.

The Over Head or Operating Expense for the year 1929 was but \$3.15 per capita, or about one and one-third assessment for each member, according to age.

Aviators

In the year 1928 the By-Laws were amended by a membership vote, providing that all members regularly detailed for extra hazardous duty and who are in receipt of extra pay therefor, shall be charged an additional flat rate per thousand dollars of protection. This change in the By-Laws took effect October 1, 1928, and the amount charged aviators from that date to January 1, 1930, was \$8.27 per month.

The extra premium to be charged aviators for the year 1930 amounts to \$13.04 per \$1,000.00 per year, making the total extra cost for \$7,500.00 protection \$97.80 per year or \$8.15 per month.

At the close of the year 1929 we had 464 aviator members paying the extra assessments.

Financial Condition

During the year all of the accounts of the association have been carefully audited by members of the firm of Robert Hamilton Smith, certified public accountants. The annual financial statement, which is made a part of this report, speaks for itself, showing as stated previously, a balance in the Benefit Fund of \$486,159.92, in the Reserve Fund of \$528,612.39, and in the Expense Fund of \$3,079.74, or a total of \$1,071,852.05. This is an increase of \$304,648.61 over the total balance of January 1, 1929. The balance on January 1, 1920, was \$65,757.22. There has, therefore, been an increase in the assets during the past nine and one-half years of \$1,006,094.83, while from an insurance standpoint the amount of protection has been increased during that period from \$5,396,561.07 to \$46,215,000.00, or about \$41,000,000.00. These figures speak for themselves.

All funds of the Association as they become available are invested in bonds, which at their face value amount to \$1,003,000.00, \$447,000 being in the Benefit Fund and \$556,000 in the Reserve Fund. Since January 1st, 1930, \$25,000 in bonds have been purchased for the Reserve Fund, which brings the bonds in that account up to \$581,000.

The figures in this report speak for themselves, and those who are fortunate enough to be members are to be congratulated on the marked success and wonderful achievements attained through the wisdom, hard work, and cooperation of the Board of Directors in all that has proven for the good of the Association as a whole. The phenomenal increase in membership during the past nine and one-half years, which has made the Association a million dollar concern, is due to the interest and

Opposes Budget System

IN the course of the discussion of the Army appropriations on the floor of the House of Representatives, Representative Albert Johnson, of Washington, on various occasions spoke against the budget system as it is working out to prevent "increased appropriations for an ever-increasing population" and the system of permitting legislation to be made in appropriation measures.

Representative Johnson pointed out that the size of the Army can be regulated by regulating the money provided for food and that in many other ways the appropriations can control Government.

"But the Budget," he said, "acts ahead of any chance for a legislative committee to authorize; that is to say, the Budget has one year's jump on the Military Affairs committee at its authorization bills, speaking generally, of course. And the Appropriations committee itself acts after the Bureau of the Budget and endeavors to 'undercut' the Budget estimates. Commendable! Why, of course. But the departments and their various bureaus have already trimmed their own estimates to the bone. See how it works."

"Gentlemen, where is the sinking fund that belongs to the Government's business? Where are the increased appropriations for the ever-increasing population of an ever-centralizing Government? The Budget has laid down your limit. It works after Congress adjourns. I make bold to say that Congress never intended, when Congress established the Budget system, that the great activities of the Federal Government and all its departments should shrivel and wither, that its everyday agents should be overworked and underpaid."

"Go to these outlying stations and see the need of actual physical improvements here and there. Notice where outside and far away from the District of Columbia the Government needs paint. Its houses need paint. Its clerks need living wages and time in which to do an ever-increasing business."

"I think there is a great misunderstanding as to just what are the duties of the Bureau of Budget. The Budget can be balanced without pinching the tail feathers clear off of the eagle. It is the duty of the 435 members of the House and the 96 members of the Senate to see that the Budget system is operated as Congress intended it to operate."

the untiring and united efforts of the Board of Directors and to the dissemination of information to the directors of the service setting forth the benefits of membership.

The Board has consistently studied the best interests of the Association as a whole and the official personnel, and the wisdom of its recommendations is now being realized beyond the fondest expectations. To the Board is due, not alone congratulations on their accomplishments, but the gratitude of every officer of the Navy, Marine Corps, and Coast Guard, be they members or unfortunately not members of the Navy Mutual Aid Association.

My hearty thanks and deep appreciation for the support and cooperation during the past year is extended to the Board of Directors, all non-resident directors and members, and the clerical force which has so faithfully and ably assisted in bringing about all that has been accomplished.

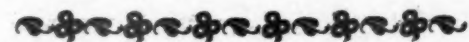
In addition to the above the report contained a number of interesting tables one of which showed the decreasing cost of Navy Mutual Aid protection to members for the past six years. For instance, it showed that the cost per thousand for a member of 25 years of age of been as follows: In 1924, \$7.10; 1925, \$6.15; 1926, \$6.06; 1927, \$6.06; 1928, \$5.49 and in 1929, \$4.17. A proportion decrease was indicated for other ages.

Another table showed the remarkable growth in the reserve fund and benefit fund and the consequent growth in the yearly interest.

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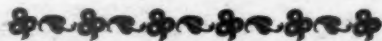
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Army Nominations

THE following Army nominations have been submitted to the Senate by President Hoover for confirmation: On January 11:

Appointments

To be first lieutenants, Dental Corps:
1st Lt. M. C. Jones, DC Res., with rank from Nov. 12, 1929.
1st Lt. L. G. Medler, DC Res., with rank from Dec. 14, 1929.

Appointments by Transfer

Capt. H. B. Sepulveda, Inf., to Adjutant General's Department.
Lt. Col. C. L. Scott, QMC, to Cavalry.

Promotions

To be lieutenant colonels:
Maj. A. G. Gillespie, OD, from Dec. 18, 1929.

Maj. D. Olmstead, SC, from Jan. 7, 1930.

To be majors:

Capt. E. S. Johnston, Inf., from Dec. 18, 1929.

Capt. H. C. Gallaher, FA, from Dec. 22, 1929.

Capt. A. St. John, CWS, from Jan. 8, 1930.

Capt. J. C. Daly, Cav., from Jan. 7, 1930.

To be captains:

1st Lt. C. F. Gee, QM, from Dec. 7, 1929.

1st Lt. T. C. Thorson, Inf., from Dec. 10, 1929.

1st Lt. J. M. Hamilton, FA, from Dec. 11, 1929.

1st Lt. N. E. Hartman, CAC, from Dec. 13, 1929.

1st Lt. C. T. Davis, Inf., from Dec. 15, 1929.

1st Lt. F. R. Williams, Inf., from Dec. 16, 1929.

1st Lt. H. J. Thornton, FA, from Dec. 18, 1929.

1st Lt. H. J. LaCroix, Inf., from Dec. 18, 1929.

1st Lt. G. J. Engelthaler, Inf., from Dec. 21, 1929.

1st Lt. R. C. Benner, CWS, from Dec. 22, 1929.

1st Lt. C. E. Sargent, FA, from Dec. 20, 1929.

1st Lt. J. P. Donovan, FA, from Jan. 8, 1930.

1st Lt. R. L. Delferes, FA, from Jan. 4, 1930.

1st Lt. A. L. Vilante, QM, from Jan. 7, 1930.

To be first lieutenants:

2nd Lt. J. G. Hill, Inf., from Nov. 8, 1929.

2nd Lt. J. Massaro, FA, from Nov. 9, 1929.

2nd Lt. W. K. Dudley, Inf., from Nov. 12, 1929.

2nd Lt. J. B. Kraft, FA, from Nov. 13, 1929.

2nd Lt. A. S. Gamble, Inf., from Nov. 13, 1929.

2nd Lt. H. J. John, FA, from Nov. 13, 1929.

2nd Lt. J. R. Hawkins, AC, from November 16, 1929.

2nd Lt. E. L. Scott, Inf., from Nov. 16, 1929.

2nd Lt. C. L. Booth, FA, from Nov. 16, 1929.

2nd Lt. A. P. Foster, jr., Inf., from Nov. 19, 1929.

2nd Lt. M. E. Meister, Inf., from Nov. 20, 1929.

2nd Lt. E. Lenzner, SC, from Nov. 20, 1929.

2nd Lt. H. A. Murphy, Inf., from Nov. 21, 1929.

2nd Lt. W. H. Maglin, Inf., from Nov. 24, 1929.

2nd Lt. R. E. Fisher, AC, from Nov. 27, 1929.

2nd Lt. W. S. Triplet, Inf., from Nov. 28, 1929.

2nd Lt. G. W. Smythe, Inf., from Nov. 28, 1929.

2nd Lt. J. H. Claybrook, jr., Cav., from Nov. 29, 1929.

2nd Lt. J. T. Traywick, jr., Inf., from Nov. 29, 1929.

2nd Lt. P. McC. Kernan, Inf., from Dec. 1, 1929.

2nd Lt. H. A. Malin, Inf., from Dec. 1, 1929.

2nd Lt. J. E. Purcell, Inf., from Dec. 2, 1929.

2nd Lt. J. A. Elmore, jr., Inf., from Dec. 2, 1929.

2nd Lt. J. W. Ramsey, Jr., Inf., from Dec. 3, 1929.

2nd Lt. F. J. Graling, Inf., from Dec. 5, 1929.

2nd Lt. N. K. Elward, Inf., from Dec. 7, 1929.

2nd Lt. J. P. Hulley, Inf., from Dec. 7, 1929.

2nd Lt. S. W. Smithers, Inf., from Dec. 8, 1929.

2nd Lt. R. A. Koch, Inf., from Dec. 10, 1929.

2nd Lt. K. C. Bailey, Inf., from Dec. 10, 1929.

2nd Lt. F. Wells, jr., Inf., from Dec. 10, 1929.

Naval Parley

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would be applied to all types of combatant ships. This would retain the relative standing and eventually the 10,000 ton cruisers would be the ship of the line, with the armed merchantmen carrying six inch guns, of increased wartime value.

It seems highly probable that Secretary Stimson will take a firm stand in insisting that the question of cruiser tonnage and limitation of other auxiliary naval strength be taken up before the battleship problem is settled. Obviously, this offers the best hope of agreement and concessions as to capital ships from the U. S. can be used to effect a compromise on some of the more debatable questions. Just how far our delegates and naval advisors will be willing to go is problematic, but it seems assured that the conference can get together on a plan for postponing replacements and a possibility that there may be a reduction in the number and size of capital ships.

Discussion during the next few days may result in a clarification of the atmosphere, but indications now are that each of the powers will go into the conference with the divergent viewpoints as clearly drawn as they stand today.

Would Increase Pensions

REP. B. CARROLL REECE of Tennessee this week introduced a bill in the House which would extend the more liberal pension provisions allowed to the veterans of the War with Spain, the Philippine insurrection, and the China relief expedition to members and former members of the permanent military or naval service of the United States.

The bill, which has been referred to the Committee on Pensions, provides that any member or former member of the permanent military or naval service who has heretofore or may hereafter receive injury or contract disease and who has received an honorable discharge shall be entitled to the same pension for disability or for age as the veterans of the above war and expeditions now enjoy.

Section two of the bill would allow the extension of the provision to widows, children, and dependent parents of members and former members of the permanent service who themselves would come under the bill.

Weddings

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The bridegroom's best man was his brother, Channing Brown, of Charlotte, N. C., and the ushers were Ensigns Taylor Keith, Harold A. MacFarland, Robert Watts, Thomas B. Neblett, George A. Lang, Elliott Parish, Thomas A. Donovan and R. Neil Norgaard. The ushers wore the full dress uniform of the Navy and after the ceremony formed an arch with their swords, under which the bride and groom passed.

A reception followed the ceremony at the Colonial House and later in the evening Mr. Brown and his bride left for a northern wedding trip.

The bride attended the Shipley Preparatory School at Bryn Mawr and Mr. Brown is a graduate of the U. S. Naval Academy in the class of 1927.

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Medical Corps

To be majors:

Capt. J. W. Smith, jr., from Oct. 8, 1929.

Capt. W. L. Perry, from Oct. 31, 1929.

Capt. H. R. Livesay, from Nov. 1, 1929.

Capt. R. O. Dart, from Nov. 3, 1929.

Capt. D. C. Bartholomew, from Nov. 8, 1929.

Capt. L. K. Patterson, from Dec. 10, 1929.

Capt. C. R. Mueller, from Dec. 11, 1929.

Capt. C. F. Davis, from Dec. 12, 1929.

Capt. W. J. Carroll, from Dec. 21, 1929.

Capt. A. G. Heilman, from Jan. 3, 1930.

Medical Administrative Corps

To be captains:

1st Lt. F. J. Sheffer, from Dec. 22, 1929.

To be first lieutenant:

2nd Lt. E. M. Wones, from Dec. 22, 1929.

Concentration Schedules

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the United States Fleet concentration ends on May 26, and the ships of the Battle Fleet return to the west coast.

The battleships sailing from San Pedro on February 15 are: California, West Virginia, Maryland, Tennessee, New Mexico and Idaho. The USS Mississippi will leave Puget Sound on that date and the Colorado will join them in April at Guantanamo.

Destroyer Squadrons Eleven and Twelve are now being decommissioned at San Diego, but Destroyer Division 45, Battle Fleet with the Decatur and Litchfield will be present at the Fleet concentration.

Submarine tender Argonne, with fleet submarines V-1 and V-2, the aircraft carriers Langley, Lexington and Saratoga, and the aircraft tenders Gannet and Aroostook will participate in the joint fleet maneuvers.

Club for Disabled Soldiers

New York City (Special)—A new club, "The Dug-Out," for disabled soldiers, located at 235 East 52nd Street, was formally opened on Tuesday afternoon, Jan. 14, with appropriate dedication ceremonies. This club is sponsored by a group of prominent persons of the city. Mrs. Robert Weeks Kelley is president of the board of directors. Maj. Gen. Hanson E. Ely and other prominent military and naval officers were present at the opening ceremonies.

Did You Read

the following important service stories last week:

Army—Showdown on FA School Site Asked by Oklahoma Congressman; Claims Longevity Rating for Philippine Constabulary Service; Greene Heads Senate Military Committee During Reed Absence; Transfers of ORC Second Lieutenants Facilitated by Ruling; NG Status Bill Drafted; Col. Phillips' Article on the Future of Cavalry?

Navy and Marine Corps—Navy Limit, Not Cut, Likely At Naval Conference; Seventeen Receive Wings at Pensacola; Propose Naval Hospital for Washington; DC Postgraduates Ordered Here; Former Naval Academy Student Heads Federal Trade Commission; Naval Officer Made Member of N. Y. C. Board of Health?

General—Rep. B. Carroll Reece Writes on Need for Pay Legislation; White House Pay-Boost for Assistant Secretaries Bill Reported Out; Propose Meeting of Departments; Carabao Meeting Scheduled; Adm. Taylor Writes on Aerial Coast Defense; Sojourners Meet?

Pershing Testifies

GEN. JOHN J. PERSHING yesterday morning appeared before the House Military Affairs Committee. The committee was meeting in executive session considering the Gold Star Mothers' bill.

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